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STORMY CONFERENCE.

Representatives of the Pugilists Get Together.

SILER'S VIEW IS SUSTAINED.

Although Fitzsimmons Insists That the Referee Had No Right to Interpret the Rules Only at the Ringside, He Yields.

Carson, Nev., March 13.—A long conference, which at times nearly resulted in the spoiling of the chances of the big fight being pulled off, was held between Martin Julian, representing Fitzsimmons, and William A. Brady, for Corbett, over the construction put on the Marquis of Queensbury rules, and the end was that Julian, after objecting strenuously upon the right of the referee making any ruling whatever before the men entered the ring and against the hitting with one arm free, and in the break-away, gives way entirely and consented that the men should hit with one free arm and on the break-aways.

The fight will, therefore, be fought in accordance with the interpretation of Marquis of Queensbury rules made by Referee Siler. It was at times a stormy conference and time and again the smashup was perilously near, and again it was narrowly by the most narrow margins.

Brady at the outset took the stand that Corbett was willing to abide by the decision of the referee, no matter what the decision might be. The champion, he said, was willing to fight just as Siler said.

Julian, on the other hand, maintained that there was no right vested in the referee to make any ruling whatever until the men were ready to fight. He claimed Fitzsimmons had always fought "a good, fair, square fight," and in all his fights the hitting has been both arms free and that all the break-aways should be clean. Corbett, he said, had won the championship of the world in a fight conducted under such conditions and methods, which were good enough to win the championship and were good enough to defend it.

NOT BI-PARTISAN

A New Reason For Attacking the New York Police Commissioners.

New York, March 13.—On the grounds that the present board of police commissioners of this city is not bi-partisan and is therefore illegally constituted it is now proposed to protest its actions and rulings. This new opposition to the board developed when Captain Devery's petition for the writ of prohibition obtained from Justice Beach of the supreme court to prevent his trial by the commissioners, was read by his counsel.

The petition alleges that more than two of the commissioners belong to the same political party, thereby violating the provisions of the bi-partisan law under which they hold office. The merits of the petition will be decided upon by Justice Beach on March 18, meanwhile Captain Devery will not be tried.

Flash In the Pan?

Topeka, March 13.—Charges of bribery made against legislators in connection with the passage of the stock yards bill, will never be pushed, the house voting to discharge its members of the committee previously appointed to investigate.



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THE WOOL SCHEDULE.

Republican Members Wrestle With the Question.

MANY VISITORS PRESENT.

Manufacturers of Woolen Goods and the Sheep Raisers Go to Washington to Advise With the Ways and Means Committee.

Washington, March 13.—The work of the Republican members of the ways and means committee on the wool schedule has brought the woolgrowers and manufacturers to Washington in full force.

They filled the lobby of the Cochran hotel, while the tariff makers were in conference in their upstairs room and when the members emerged each one of them was surrounded by a group of wool men endeavoring to impress upon their victim the urgent needs of their particular branch of the business. Chairman Dingley was half an hour running the gauntlet to the hotel door.

He listened with patience to every statement, but the results do not show representatives of special interests gain anything by coming to Washington to present their cases in person.

After 24 hours of work on the second half of the wool schedule, that covering manufactures of wool, the duties have been made practically a repetition of the rates of the McKinley bill.

The McKinley rates on raw wools having been re-adopted, it was considered the only logical arrangement to adopt also the compensatory duties on manufactures of wool of the McKinley law so this policy was followed.

There was an attempt made to change the ad valorem rates on woolen manufactures in the McKinley act to specific, but such great difficulties have been encountered that the undertaking has been abandoned, for the time being at any rate, and the committee has practically decided to accept the wool schedule of the McKinley act.

A committee of experts devoted some time to the work of resolving the ad valorems factors of the wool schedule to corresponding specific rates, but the results of their labors proved so unsatisfactory to Chairman Dingley that the scheme was rejected. It is possible that the attempt will be renewed when the bill is before the full ways and means committee to change the ad valorem features of this schedule to equivalent specific rates, but the bill as it will be introduced into the house will contain the McKinley wool schedule without material changes except the changes in the classification of wools which were made.

All From Ohio.

Washington, March 13.—Additional applications from Ohio for appointment to presidential office under the treasury department have been filed as follows: Collectors of internal revenue, H. A. Keye, E. V. Samson, Hugh V. Smith, E. E. Brown, all of Springfield; C. F. Leach, C. F. Way, Cleveland, T. T. Johnson of Ironton, as supervising inspector of steam vessels at Cincinnati; William W. Sprow of Cleveland, as commissioner of immigration; H. H. Craff as appraiser at Cleveland; Charles E. Brown of Cincinnati, as register of the treasury at Washington; S. W. Durflinger of London, O., as surveyor of customs at Columbus; Henry Young Arnett of Wilberforce, as register of the treasury at Washington; Elias Mann of Akron, as deputy auditor of the war department; F. H. Jackson as appraiser at Cleveland; George W. Wilson of Butler county, O., as commissioner of internal revenue; William D. Scott of Uhrichsville as assayer of the mint at Denver.

Greeting the Employes.

Washington, March 13.—Secretary Bliss and Mr. Francis, his predecessor, received the employes of the entire department. It was the formal leave taking of the retiring head of the department and the first meeting between Mr. Bliss and those in the department. The employes numbered over 3,000 and passed in line through the secretary's office grouped by bureaus and divisions. Each division was introduced by the division chiefs and all the employes took occasion to say a few words of farewell to Mr. Francis. Many of them expressed their appreciation of little individual kindnesses. Mr. Francis left here for Old Point Comfort, Va.

Gas Tank Explodes.

New York, March 13.—A gas tank at the Liberty Bicycle works, at Rockaway, N. J., exploded from some unknown cause and the fire which resulted destroyed three buildings and damaged two others. A. J. Hollings, foreman of the works, Richard Daddon, the engineer, and Joseph Smith, a workman, were badly injured by flying pieces of iron and were also severely burned. Loss, $20,000.

Amenable to the Laws.

New York, March 13.—Appeal was taken from the decision of Judge Addison Brown of the United States circuit court [illegible] court in the case of Joseph A. Istagi, Turkish consul general at Boston, which held that the latter was amenable to the courts of Massachusetts in the case of his alleged embezzlement of trust funds.

KILLED HER VICTIMS.

Career of Mrs. Clara Omo In Wild and Woolly West.

FATAL HAND-TO-HAND DUEL

She Was Born In New York, but Early Went to the Plains, and Was Known as the "Cowboy Woman."

Perry, O. T., March 13.—Mrs. Clara Omo, a western "cowboy" who claimed to have killed five men during her career, is dead at her home here, aged 56 years. She is a Miss Martin, and was born in New York city, moving to Eldorado, Kan., with her parents when a child.

Her most desperate encounter took place in Little Black Tail canon, near Butte, Mont., in February, 1880, when she killed Ed Smith. Smith found the woman alone and fought her with a hunting knife. Mrs. Omo used a pistol, and after 10 minutes of fierce fighting won out.

PERIOD OF QUIESCENCE.

Greece Has the Great Powers Bluffed to a Standstill.

Athens, March 13.—The Cretan question is passing through a period of quiescence, a lull having followed the reply of Greece to the powers, and everybody seems to be wondering where and when the storm will break out afresh.

In spite of the repeated assertions made in the different capitals of Europe that the powers are acting in concert toward Greece, it is remarked here that if this was the case the threatened coercion of Greece would have been an accomplished fact long before this.

There seems to be but three ways out of the present difficulty. The most peculiar is that the powers must accept the offers of Greece to withdraw her fleet from Cretan waters and allow her army of occupation to remain nominally under the control of a foreign officer outranking Colonel Vassos, to be used for the pacification of the island, and when that is acomplished a plebiscite shall decide whether the Cretans prefer annexation to autonomy.

The second suggested solution is the coercion, real or seeming, of Greece by the blockade of the Greek coasts as well as the island of Crete. This would be a dangerous and difficult task. In the first place, it would require an immense fleet of vessels, owing to the almost innumerable islands composing the Grecian archipelago, to make such a blockade effective. Besides, Greece's reply to this proposition would probably be the lighting of the fires of war in Macedonia, the beginning of a conflagration which might spread all over Europe.

The most dangerous spot on the map of Europe at present is the frontier of Thessaly. If Greece is coerced, or if she does not obtain the substance of her demands, she is liable to force the hands of the powers, and this might be done in more ways than one, as by crossing the border, trying to raise the Balkans, and possibly bringing about the long-contemplated dismemberment of the Turkish empire.

The third solution of this dangerous and difficult problem is contained in the renewed rumors that King George of Greece may abdicate in favor of his eldest son, Crown Prince Constantine, Duke of Sparta, whose wife is the Princess Sophia of Prussia, sister of Emperor William of Germany. There are many people who believe that the king's abdication would be the best means of clearing up the situation. While the stand taken by King George in the present crisis has undoubtedly improved his position among the Greeks, his abdication would be a popular step, as the populace has never quite forgiven the king for being a foreigner, while his sons, who were born in Greece, are regarded as being one with themselves.

The crown princes is known to be a trifle jealous of Prince George, the sailor prince, second son of the king, whom Prince Constantine always allows to be bracketed as equal with himself. The princess, it should be added, is said to be furious at Emperor William for having sided with the Turks against her adopted people. Her husband is much admired and respected, but he is a man of silent, retiring disposition and is disposed to ignore the shouts of the populace. Prince George, who is of a different temperament, is the popular idol, and many would prefer him to his elder brother as king of Greece.

In any case, the war fever is apparently subsiding, due no doubt to the popular belief that an agreement may be reached between the Greek and Turkish governments directly for the settlement of the Cretan question without the intervention of the powers. This belief, however, does not prevail in diplomatic circles, where it is said the settlement can be arrived at only through the powers. There is no doubt that the decrease in excitement here tends to present matters in a brighter light, for popular clamor had a deal to do with the defiant position assumed by the Greek government.

But there is no cessation of military activity here or at Salonika. On both frontiers troops have occupied strategic positions and reinforcements are being pushed forward night and day. The armed peasants on both sides are not the most dangerous factors on the frontiers. A conflict there may occur at any moment, and then it may be beyond human power to stem the tide of war which has been sullenly rising for a long time past.

IN LIMA SOCIETY.

(Continued From Eighth Page.)

knowledge of all fruits, herbs, balms and spices, and of all that is healing and sweet in field and groves, and savory in meats; means carefulness, inventiveness, watchfulness, willingness and readiness of appliance. It means the economy of your great-grandmothers and the science of modern chemists. It means much lasting and no wasting. It means English thoroughness, French art, and Arabian hospitality. It means in fine, that you are to be perfectly and always ladies (loaf givers) and to see that everyone has something nice to eat."—*Ruskin.*

The Kooking Klub met on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Carrie Thompson, and enjoyed one of their famous dinners. The decorations consisted of pink and white carnation and green foliage.

Dainty menu cards bore the following menu:

Oyster Patties,
Sweet Potatoes, Cold Pork,
Cranberry Sauce,
French Peas.
Salad, Wafers,
Olives, Pickles,
Peach Sherbet, Angel Food,
Bon Bons, Coffee.

Last Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Will Parmenter entertained a number of their neighbors in a delightful manner.

Thursday Mr. Charles Hover, of west Market street, celebrated his twenty first birthday anniversary by entertaining eleven of his young gentlemen friends at a six o'clock dinner, at his home on west Market street. The Table was daintly laid and the dinner was one of rare excellence. After dinner good music and whist filled the hours with pleasure.

The Fortnightly Cooking Club is composed of a number of young matrons and young women who are becoming proficient in the art of cooking. They met last evening at the cozy home of Mrs. M. L. Johnston, of north Baxter street, and entertained their husbands and friends, regaling them with a delicious supper of the following good things:

Mushroom Patties,
Bread Squares, Pickles.
Chicken Salad, Olives,
Fruit Gelatine,
White Cake, Chocolate Cake,
Bisque Ice Cream,
Coffee.

The evening's pleasure was increased by numerous games, one, the transposing of letters, causing much rivalry. Mrs. Chas. Stagman won the lady's prize, a beautiful cluster of carnations, while Mr. Giliam won the man's prize, a sterling tie clasp. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moulton were the guests of the club. Delightful music also added to the evening's enjoyment.

Last evening twenty young people enjoyed a delightful party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Folke, of west Wayne street, in honor of Miss Roebuck, of St. Joe, Mo. The mazy cobweb was everywhere, and the crowd grew merry at their task of unraveling. Other games and good music furnished amusement for the evening, and good refreshments were enjoyed by all.

The Sunset Club will entertain their husbands royally next Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rowlands, of west North street.

The Epicureans tried tasting other dainties than their own last evening, going to the Bower's restaurant for a six o'clock supper.

The Chautauquans will met at the home of Miss Reed, 742 south Main street, Monday night.

The Pastime Circle met last evening at the home of Mrs. Allen, corner of Baxter and High streets. Dainty needle work kept hands busy and good conversation made time fly. The delicious refreshments served consisted of

Neapolitan Ice Cream,
Salted Almonds,
Angel Food, Macroons,
Bon Bons, Coffee.

Mrs. Blanch Wheeler entertained the Thimble Circle Thursday afternoon in a very pretty way. Dainty refreshments were served during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Hirsh were most agreeably surprised last Sunday. That day being the twenty-second anniversary of their marriage, a large party of Lima friends came down early and stayed late, bringing a number of useful and handsome presents for Mr. and Mrs. Hirsh. Those present from out of town were Mrs. H. Weisenthal, Mr. Joe Weisenthal, Mr. Dave Weisenthal, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kalb, Mr. and Mrs. G. Fox, Mr. and Miss Kohn, Mrs. and Miss Victor, Miss B. Jourdan, Mr. James Wohlgamath and Mr. Bert Wohlgamath.—*Wapakoneta Democrat*

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Moke, of west North street, entertained friends at cards last evening. A delightful lunch was served and a pleasant evening was passed by those attending.



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North Lima oil	66
South Lima oil	51
Indiana oil	51

LIMA PRODUCERS AT ALEXANDRIA.

A dispatch from Elmwood, Ind., to the Toledo *Blade* says:

A company of Lima, O., oil men are at work leasing land around Alexandria, ten miles east of this city, and will develop the territory there. They will at once erect a derrick and put down a well on the Carver farm and see what that field is worth, and if it is found to be in paying quantities they will drill wells rapidly in all directions. One gas well at Alexandria flows ten barrels of oil each day and is only one of a dozen similar instances where oil has flowed from gas wells in small quantities. The first well will be put down at once and it is thought that the move will be a success and that the oil derricks will soon dot the field in all directions.

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The report from the Lyman Woods well on Elk Fork, last night, says the Sistersville *Review*, was that the well had made nine feet and six inches of oil in fifty hours, or about 112 barrels a day. That is a fine well beyond all cavil. It may never be any larger and yet it may be a great deal better when drilled deeper. Already producers who have leases near this well are going right ahead to getting wells started in that neighborhood and things are going to be lively for the next two months at least.



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UNION LABEL

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democracy of Allen county are requested to meet in delegate convention at the assembly room of the court house, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 13, 1897,

at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following county offices, to be elected next November: Representative, Sheriff, Treasurer, Commissioner, Infirmary Director, Coroner and Surveyor.

The basis of representation in the county convention will be one delegate for every twenty five votes or fraction over thirteen cast for W. J Bryan at the November election in 1896, and the apportionment will be as follows:

	Del.	Votes Cast.
Amanda tp	10	340
Auglaize tp, east pre	5	115
Auglaize tp, west pre	4	108
Bath tp	8	211
Delphos, First ward	4	177
Elida special	4	99
Jackson tp	11	278
Marion tp	14	362
Delphos, First ward	8	190
Delphos, Second ward	8	194
Monroe tp	10	248
Lima, First ward, pre A	10	258
Lima, First ward, pre B	12	289
Lima, Second ward	8	213
Lima, Third ward, pre A	8	196
Lima, Third ward, pre B	5	128
Lima, Fourth ward pre A	5	122
Lima, Fourth ward, pre B	11	268
Lima, Fourth ward, pre C	8	188
Lima, Fifth ward	11	278
Lima, Sixth ward, pre A	5	129
Lima, Sixth ward, pre B	2	85
Lima, Seventh ward, pre A	17	239
Lima, Seventh ward, pre B	5	117
Perry tp	9	214
Richland tp, Beaver Dam pre	8	197
Richland tp, Bluffton pre	18	448
Shawnee tp	8	189
Spencer township	19	471
Sugar Creek tp	4	110
Total number of delegates in convention	258	
Necessary to a choice	129	

The basis of representation in the Senatorial Convention will be one delegate for each one hundred votes and fraction over fifty cast for William J. Bryan last November. Under this apportionment the representation of Allen county in these conventions will be as follows:

	Del.	No. Votes.
Amanda tp	2	240
Auglaize tp, east pre	1	115
Auglaize tp, west pre	1	108
Bath tp	2	211
German tp	2	177
Elida special	1	99
Jackson tp	3	278
Marion tp	4	362
Delphos, First ward	2	190
Delphos, Second ward	2	194
Monroe tp	2	248
Lima, First ward, pre A	3	258
Lima, First ward, pre B	3	289
Lima, Second ward	2	213
Lima, Third ward, pre A	2	196
Lima, Third ward, pre B	1	128
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Richland tp, Bluffton pre	4	448
Shawnee tp	2	189
Spencer tp	5	471
Sugar Creek tp	1	110

The Democrats of the various wards and precincts in Allen county are hereby notified to meet on Saturday, March 13, 1897, between the hours of one o'clock p. m. and eight o'clock p. m., at the usual places of holding such meetings and proceed to elect by ballot the requisite number of delegates to represent them in the several county and district conventions, which may be held during the year, 1897. At the same time and place, shall also be selected one person from each ward and precinct in Allen county to serve as a member of the Democratic County Advisory Committee.

Only those voters who cast their ballots for William J. Bryan, for President, at the election in November 1896, and who will support the Democratic ticket nominated on April 13th, shall be eligible to participate in the election of delegates at the various township and ward caucuses. All young Democrats, not voters, but who will attain majority prior to the next November election and who will support the Democratic ticket at that election, are eligible to vote in the various primary caucuses.

A delegation from any ward, precinct or township not elected in the manner prescribed in this call will not be recognized in the convention, but voters from such township, ward or precinct present in the convention as mass delegation will be permitted to cast the vote of said township, ward or precinct.

All ballots used in the ward or township primary caucuses shall be printed on red paper.

By order of the Democratic Central Committee of Allen county, Ohio.

WM. F. BLAIR, Ch'm.
W. J. O'CONNOR, Sec'y.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The fee for announcement of names in the TIMES-DEMOCRAT is $5.00, payable when the copy for the announcement is left for publication.

REPRESENTATIVE.

You are authorized to announce my name as a candidate for the office of Representative, subject to the decision of the Allen County Democratic convention.

G. W. DISMAN.

We are authorized to announce the name of ORAS H ADKINS as a candidate for County Representative, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

Please announce the name of JOHN W. MANGES, of Richland township, as a candidate for County Representative, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of H H. R U-H, of Bath township, as a candidate for Representative, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

COUNTY TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of AUGUST G. LUTZ as a candidate for renomination for second term for County Treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. LAUDICK, of South Lima, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county, Ohio, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. A BOGART, of Monroe township, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB L SHOOK, of Auglaize township, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. STATES, of Monroe township, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. E. GRUBB, Fourth ward, Lima, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Allen County Democratic Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of T. W. MILLER, of Sugar Creek township, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county, Ohio, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.

J. C. CRONLEY will be a candidate for the nomination for County Surveyor on the Democratic ticket, second term, subject to the decision of the county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN KEETH as candidate for County Surveyor, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of DANIEL HARPSTER, of Monroe township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE D. KANAWL, of Ottawa township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of PETER LORA, of Monroe township, as a candidate for Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

GOMER, O., Feb. 13, '97.

To the Editor of the Times-Democrat:

You are authorized to announce my name as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the approval of the Democratic County Convention.

EVAN E JONES,
Sugar Creek Tp.

CORONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. G. E. BURTON, of Lima, as candidate for Coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of L REICHELDERFER, of Ottawa township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of ROBERT KIRACOFE, of Jackson township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of I. B STEMEN, of Sugar Creek township, as candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE A BEFFNER, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of W L. BECHTOL, of German township, as candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention

We are authorized to announce the name of E B MANAHAN, of Auglaize township, as a candidate for nomination for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

The "Advance Agent of Prosperity" commenced business on the 4th inst., and on the 6th the National Tube Iron Works, of McKeesport, Pa., cut the wages of 4,000 men from 5 to 12½ per cent. The Monongahela Steel Works, of the same place, has also reduced wages within the week. And this is a sample of the way the workingmen of the country who voted for McKinley were deluded and defrauded by Hanna's promises of steady employment at increased wages.

OUR EMIGRATION LAWS.

Just before the close of his presidential term, ex-President Cleveland did one of the best acts of his administration, and which became him creditably, when he vetoed the bill passed by congress to limit emigration by excluding the humble and poor of other lands. It was proposed to be effected by making the test of being able to read and write control the privilege to emigrate to our country, a test that would prove uncertain and favor fraud and corruption, according to the character of the officer who should determine this matter. That these United States are the asylum of the oppressed of all nations has long been proclaimed, but the action of the Republican congress vetoed by ex President Cleveland initiates restrictive legislation with an opposite view. Our great republic is composed of emigrants and the children of emigrants (the latter being our native citizens), and this fact might awaken to generosity. Besides, when emigration finds our country reasonably populated so that emigration is not vastly advantageous, the countries from which emigration comes will be speedily advised and will tend to other lands without distinctive legislation.

This was Cleveland's wisest act since he separated from the regular Democracy. M.

CONGRESS AND CONGRESSMEN.

Patriotism and business sense is a good combination for a president and his cabinet.—*New York Press.*

Mr. Hanna may be the "junior" Senator from Ohio, but he is the senior Senator of the cloak room.—*Chicago Tribune.*

The Republican party will have control of the House while the Senate, apparently, will have control of the Republican party.—*Chicago Record.*

It is sincerely hoped that Senator Quay's visit to the White House doesn't mean that he is to make the tariff speeches for the new administration.—*Washington Post.*

There is an opportunity now for soreheads and mossbacks to sit down and defy the new administration to force progress and prosperity upon them.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

If Mr. Hobart can bring about expedition of the business of the Senate history cannot do less than accredit him with having broken the Vice-Presidential record.—*Washington Star.*

President McKinley has shown rare discretion in asking for an extraordinary session of Congress. The Congresses of late have been quite ordinary.—*Chicago Times Herald.*

Sulzer, the Tammanyite Congressman, feels aggrieved. He thinks his declaration of war against Spain has not been received with the attention which its importance deserved.—*Cincinnati Tribune.*

The men at Mark Hanna's shipyard have about won their strike. Mr. Hanna could not afford to have a strike in his shipyard and a strike in the United States Senate in progress at the same time.—*N. Y. Journal.*

President McKinley's training as a pedestrian is well timed. He will probably have to walk the floor a good deal before he succeeds in finding out how to control his Congressional team of wild horses.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

TURKISH TROOPS.

Both Men and Officers Are Without Sufficient Clothing.

Paris, March 13.—A dispatch to The Journal of this city from Larissa says that at the Turkish headquarters at Elassona, there are 18,000 troops, but, the dispatch adds, both officers and men are destitute and have scarcely clothing enough to cover them and there have been numerous desertions.

The Greek troops, it is further announced, are in excellent condition and so full of enthusiasm that their officers have difficulty in keeping them quiet. The frontiers, it appears, are covered with 15,000 insurgents who are only awaiting the signal to advance. It is estimated that in another week's time there will be 80,000 Greeks concentrated on the frontier.

The Gaulois says that the blockade must be postponed until the powers have formally taken possession of Crete in order to organize an autonomous government.

ON THE ICE.

Party of Fishermen Carried Out on the Floe.

Sebewaing, Mich., March 13.—The heavy wind broke up the ice on Saginaw bay. One hundred and fifty fishermen, of whom about 50 are from Bay City, were on the ice about four miles from shore. Mostly all escaped to Maison and Lone Tree islands.

It is reported that five men from Bay City are on the ice yet and have been carried out with the floe. The wind has shifted to the northwest and will probably bring the ice back. It is very cold. About $400 worth of nets and 20 shanties were carried out from the settlement near here.

Rifles Smuggled Into Turkey.

Berlin, March 13.—A dispatch received in this city from Constantinople says large quantities of Gras rifles and cartridges are being smuggled from Greece into the Turkish island of Chios, off the west coast of Asia Minor, via Smyrna and that they are being sold to the inhabitants of Chios at low prices.

Saddlery Hardware Plant Burned.

Middletown, Conn., March 13.—The plant the H. W. Chapman company, manufacturers of saddlery hardware, at South Farms, was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of $50,000; insurance, $20,000.

Employe and Firemen Injured.

New York, March 13.—The japanning department of the tannery concern of Blanchard Brothers & Lane of Newark, was burned and one employe and four firemen were injured.

Memorial Hall.

Berlin, March 13.—The reichstag received to the budget committee the bill to erect a memorial hall in honor of the German soldiers who fell during the war of 1870-1877.

PULSE OF BUSINESS.

What R. G. Dun Says of the Conditions of Trade.

New York, March 13.—It is a curious illustration of human nature, this continued discouragement, even while the increase of productive industries and of legitimate business is steadily growing. No lasting improvement could come otherwise than slowly and step by step.

After such a depression as the past four years have witnessed the most hopeful feature of the situation is that the gains are so nearly devoid of elements which involve unsoundness and probable reaction. The first step toward prosperity is to get the wheels started and the hands employed and the number of works which have resumed increased forces during the past week seems greater than in any other week since November.

While the start has been secured in many cases by contract at low prices, involving some reduction of wages, the hands are earning more even so, and aid more the general recovery than if not working at all, and thus far important strikes have been avoided in many cases, though some are still threatened.

Iron furnaces March 1 were producing 169,986 tons weekly, 7,027 tons or 4 per cent more than Feb. 1, and although visible stocks have increased 30,024 tons in four weeks, still more furnaces have started this month. The demand for finished products still lags behind the supply of pig iron.

The starting of the Maryland rail works under contract with the Carnegie company, in order to make shipments by water more cheaply is significant.

Failures for the past week have been 256 in the United States, against 360 last year, and 61 in Canada, against 60 last year.

OFF FOR CUBA.

The Steamer Three Friends Leaves on Another Filibustering Trip.

Jacksonville, Fla., March 13.—The steamer Three Friends is reported to have left Rodriguez Key, 90 miles south of Miami, with a large expedition for Cuba. The Three Friends has a deputy marshal on board, or did have, and unless he has left the steamer he has been taken along. The tug O. C. Williams is also connected with the expedition, having transported the supplies from Miami. Several Jacksonville citizens who are known to have been connected with Cuban affairs, arrived at Miami and left on the tug Williams, and this gave publicity to the expedition.

Reports of the Storm.

St. Paul, March 13.—Reports from the big storm have been coming in faster than the railroad trains, for these are generally delayed or blockaded, and it will be several days before all roads are in good running order. Reports from all parts of South Dakota give evidence of the storm's fury. Some lines are buried beneath 10 to 15 feet of snow and drifts are miles in length.

A True Maxim.

Nothing succeeds like success, is a maxim well applied to Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, for this famous remedy succeeds in curing every case of croup, cough and cold which it undertakes, and to this alone is due its wonderful popularity. Mrs. E. W. Richards, 2214 E. Cumberland St., Philadelphia, Pa., states: "I have had Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup on my bureau for the last nine years, and have found it a certain and safe cure for croup. I have also found it efficacious in extreme membranous croup, and would advise all mothers to use it." Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup costs only 25 cents, and you should bear in mind, that substitutes simply benefit the dealer's purse. Insist on getting Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

From Sire to Son.

As a family medicine Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves passes from sire to son as a legacy. If you have Kidney, Liver or Blood disorder get a free sample package of this remedy. If you have Indigestion, Constipation, Headache, Rheumatism, etc., this specific will cure you. Wm. M. Melville, the leading druggist, is distributing samples free. Large packages 50c and 25c.

Delicate.

"Poor Cholly looks so delicate."

"Fragile, in truth. It takes almost nothing to break him."—*Indianapolis Journal.*

CASTORIA.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

BEAVER DAM, Aug. 27th, 1895.

My daughter, after being treated by four doctors, and being given up for lost, a neighbor recommended Foley's Kidney Cure. To-day she is able to walk several miles without fatigue. I feel we would have lost her if it was not for your medicine.

Respectfully,
MRS. J. M. BAILEY.

H. F. Vortkamp, n. e. cor. Main and North sts.

Blessings on Fatherhood.

Hogan—It's a great blessin', a baby in th' house.

Gogan—It is. Th' ould woman doesn't dare to throw a flat iron at me for fear av soakin' th' kid.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

Even in the most severe cases of sprain or bruise, cut or burn, Thomas Eclectric Oil gives almost instant relief. It is the ideal family liniment.

Spring Medicine

Experience teaches the importance of special care of the health.

And fixed among the important principles of hygiene and health is the acknowledged necessity of a good Spring Medicine.

Just as firmly established by the experiences of millions of people, is the positive fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla is "far and away" the best blood purifier and spring medicine ever produced.

The necessity is found in the impure condition of the blood at this season, owing to the close confinement and breathing vitiated air in office, store, shop, house, schoolroom or factory; excessive eating and drinking too rich and hearty food; late hours and social indulgences. With the blood thus thick and impure, the machinery of life grinds hard.

Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies, vitalizes and enriches the blood, builds up and strengthens the nerves and tones the stomach. It oils up the machinery of the whole body; the liver takes up its work anew, the kidneys resume activity, the ache goes out of the back, the bowels are regulated, the appetite restored, the food is relished and assimilated.

Don't wait till you are thoroughly sick before you begin to take a Spring Medicine.

Lock the door before the horse is stolen.

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now as a preventive and it will pay you a thousand fold in health and strength through the coming summer.

"We always take several bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla in our family every spring as a tonic and blood purifier and we find that it overcomes that tired feeling gives new life, and keeps us well all summer." WM. RINGEL, 813 5th Ave., Peoria, Illinois.

Excellent Spring Medicine.

"For a number of years I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla in the spring, not for any particular ailment, but on general principle, that the system needs a tonic at this time, and I have always found Hood's Sarsaparilla a most excellent spring medicine." HARON HAMMER, Engineer, Pottstown, Pennsylvania.

That Tired Feeling.

"I was troubled with that tired feeling all the spring. I purchased three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and when I had taken about half of it I was feeling well again. I believe Hood's Sarsaparilla to be an excellent blood purifier and tonic." MISS ORA E. MORGAN, Busey, Illinois.

Builds up the Health.

"We take Hood's Sarsaparilla as a tonic in the spring. Two of our children had tonsilitis and their blood was in a bad condition. Hood's Sarsaparilla built them up, and we have taken it again this spring with much benefit." MRS. P. H. CAHOON, Pleasant Lake, Mass.

N. B. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy anything else instead. There is no substitute for Hood's.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists. $1, six for $5. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The One True Blood Purifier.

An Explanation Needed.

"You are a dialect writer, I believe?"

"Yes, sir."

"I notice that in writing Irish dialect you spell the word 'sure,' s-h-u-r-e."

"That's right."

"Well, I merely wanted to ask you how you would spell the word 'sure,' pronounced in precisely the same way when you put it into the mouth of an American or Englishman."

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

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NOTICE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
CITY OF LIMA, OHIO.

The qualified electors of the city of Lima, Ohio, will take notice that at a special election to be held in said city of Lima for that purpose on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1897, there will be submitted to them for decision the proposition to issue the bonds of said city in the sum of ninety-eight thousand ($98,000) dollars for the purpose of providing grounds for park purposes in said city; said election to be held at the following places of voting:

First ward—W. B. Stump's room, corner McKibben and Main streets.

Second ward—Casey's block, corner Wayne and Tanner streets.

Third ward—Dague's wool room, east High street.

Fourth ward—South Side Hose House.

Fifth ward—Josiah Williams' store room, Williams block, south Main street.

Sixth ward—Engine House, City building.

Seventh ward—Examiner's room, Court House.

Those who desire to vote in favor of said proposition shall have written or printed on their ballots, "For the issue of bonds," and those who desire to vote against the same shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "Against the issue of bonds."

SAMUEL A. BAXTER, Mayor
Lima, Ohio, March 2, 1897. td

Assignee's Sale of Real Estate.

In pursuance of the order of the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1897, at one o'clock p. m., at the east door of the court house in said county, situated in the city of Lima, county of Allen and State of Ohio, to-wit:

Inlot number nineteen hundred and forty seven [1947]; appraised at $240 00

Also the west half of inlot number eight [8] in the village of Elida, Allen county, Ohio; appraised at $725 00

Also a tract of land described as follows: Being a part of the southeast fraction of section seven [7], township three [3], south of range six [6] east, Allen county, Ohio, and more minutely described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of lot number fifty six [56] in the village of Elida, Allen county, Ohio; thence south 44¼ degrees, one chain and seventy eight [78] links to the southwest corner of said lot number fifty-six [56]; thence north 61¾ degrees west along the railroad five chains and sixty-six [66] links; thence north two degrees east one chain and twenty [20] links; thence north 1¼ degrees east five [5] chains and sixty-five [65] links to the northwest corner of lot one hundred and thirteen [113] in said village of Elida; thence south to the northeast corner of said lot number fifty-six [56]; thence west one [1] chain to the place of beginning, containing one and twenty-six one-hundredths [1 26] acres.

Except two town lots next adjoining inlot number one hundred and thirteen [113] on the west, now owned by J. E. Morris. Appraised at $60.00.

Terms of sale—cash.

STEPHEN D. CRITES,
Assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Jasper N. Morris.
Feb. 12th, 1897.
Hoagland & Crepe, attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Ex. Doc. 9 Page 182

Joseph H. Cove and Alfred J. E. Night, as Minett & Co., Plaintiff, vs. Joseph Askins et al., Defendants. } Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 17th, A. D. 1897.

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Known as inlot number nineteen hundred and eighty-six (1986) in W. H. Anderson's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $240 00.

Terms of sale—cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff
Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, March 12, 1897.

Brotherton & Brotherton, plaintiff's attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Ex. Doc. 8. Page 8

George W. James, trustee, etc., Plaintiff, vs. Thos. R. Shaw et al., Defendants. } Allen Probate Court

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 20th, A. D. 1897

Between the hours of 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio and described as follows to wit:

And commencing at a point on the south line of outlot number seventy-eight [78] in Baxter & Cherr's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, fifty [50] feet west of the southeast corner thereof; thence running north one hundred and fifty [150] feet; thence west thirty two [32] feet; thence south to the south line of said lot and parallel with the east line of said lot; thence east to the place of beginning, fronting thirty-two [32] feet on Market street in the city of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $2500 00.

Terms of sale—cash

AARON FISHER, Sheriff
Allen county, Ohio

Lima, Ohio, February 16 1897.

Kidenour & Halfhill, plaintiff's attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 8886.

Ex. Doc. 9. Page 340

Amos Brown, Plaintiff, vs. Americus Meisse et al., Defendants. } Allen County Pleas

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Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot 223, old number—new number, two hundred and ninety seven [297]—in East Addition of the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $5,000 00.

Terms of sale—Cash.

AARON FISHER, Sheriff
Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, February 11th, 1897.

J. G. Landson, plaintiff's attorney.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Martin Rahaley, deceased

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executor of the estate of Martin Rahaley, late of Allen county, deceased. All persons interested will govern themselves accordingly.

Dated this third day of March, A. D. 1897.

M. J. SULLIVAN.

Legal Notice.

Richard Portise, whose residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 15th day of February 1897, Bertha Portise filed her petition in the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, case No. 5816 praying for a divorce upon the grounds of gross neglect of duty and for custody of children. Said defendant is required to answer on or before the third day of April, 1897, or decree will be taken against him.

BERTHA PORTISE
Mosier & Mackenzie, attorneys.

Notice.

In pursuance of the order of the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio made on the 1st day of February, 1897, the undersigned assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Lewis H. Shreve, will, on the 10th day of March, 1897, at Lima, Ohio, pay upon the valid claims against said assignor a dividend of 13 43-100 per cent.

J. C. RIDENOUR, Assignee
February 24th 1897.

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MORPHINE HABIT

Contracted While Being Treated by Physicians for Nervous Prostration—Cured by

Dr. WHEELER'S NERVE VITALIZER

"I certainly believe I would be in my grave if I had not used Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer." So writes Thomas Murphy, Thurston, Ohio. He continues: "I was stricken with nervous prostration so bad that the doctors said it would surely end in paralysis. A consultation of doctors confirmed his diagnosis and advised the use of morphine as the only means of relief. At times I could not sleep for sixty to seventy hours, the morphine gave me relief but the dose had to be increased to over thirty grains a day to get effect. I soon began to realize the deadly grip it had on me and became very much alarmed. I sought for a cure far and near but nothing would lessen the terrible appetite. I spent hundreds of dollars without effect. Our druggist, Mr. J. Kuehler, insisted that I use Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer believing it would cure me. As I used the Vitalizer I reduced the dose of morphine daily at the end of five months I took my last dose of that pernicious drug and was a well man. I feel better than I have in ten years and can do as hard a day's work as I ever could. I will gladly answer any one who writes me about my case."

Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer is a specific for sick nerves.

Sold by C. W. Heist er, 58 Public Square

LOCAL TIME CARD

Giving time of departure of trains from the various depots at Lima, Corrected June 21, 1896:

P., Ft. W. & C. R. R.

No. 4	Going East	Daily	7 45	a m
38	"	"	8 30	a m
20	"	ex. Sunday	3 18	p m
6	"	"	9 30	p m
2	"	Limited	10 50	p m
No. 5	Going West.	ex. Sunday.	9 20	a m
9	"	"	2 50	p m
31	"	"	3 44	p m
15	"	"	2 00	a m
51	"	Limited	3 33	a m

O., H. & K. R.

2	Going South, daily		2 25	a m
14	"	ex. Sunday	5 45	a m
1	"	"	9 29	a m
5	"	"	12 45	p m
3	"	"	4 05	p m
13	"	arrive daily ex. Sunday	7 15	p m
21	"	Sunday only	7 15	a m
No. 15	Going North. daily		1 25	a m
16	"	daily ex. Sunday	8 03	a m
8	"	daily ex. Sunday	8 25	a m
6	"		12 35	p m
4	"	ex Sunday	4 25	p m
10	"	ex. Sun. arrive	8 50	p m
20	"	Sunday only	7 45	a m
52	"	arrive	10 30	p m

L. E. & W. R. R.

No. 8	Going East, daily ex. Sunday		7 56	a m
4	"	"	1 40	p m
10	"	"	7 30	p m
	"	Sunday only	7 00	a m
	"	Return	9 30	p m
1	"	West	9 35	a m
5	"	"	4 50	p m
1	"	"	2 45	a m

O. & E. R. R.

Local	Going East, daily ex. Sunday		7 00	a m
No. 9	"	"	3 30	p m
"	"	"	9 02	p m
14	"	"	2 45	a m
Local	"	West, "	7 00	a m
No. 1	"	"	9 33	a m
6	"	"	11 33	a m
3	"	"	12 37	p m
13	"	" Monday	6 30	p m

OHIO SOUTHERN.

LEAVES SOUTH.

No. 3	Pallyer, Sunday	8 35	a m
No. 1	" "	5 30	p m

ARRIVES NORTH.

No. 2	Daily ex. Sunday	11 25	a m
No. 4	" "	5 05	p m

LIMA NORTHERN

GOING NORTH.

No. 2	Express, leaves	11 30	a m
No. 14	Local "	9 00	a m
No. 30	Mixed "	6 25	a m
No. 4	Passenger "	5 10	p m

GOING SOUTH.

No. 11	Express, arrives	2 25	p m
No. 31	Mixed, "	11 00	a m
No. 1	Local frt, "	6 00	p m
No. 3	Passenger "	8 00	p m

A Week of Music.

The week commencing March 29th will be one of the greatest musical events in the history of Cincinnati The Metropolitan Opera Company of 150 members, accompanied by the Theodore Thomas Orchestra of 60 pieces, will be the leading attraction at the Music Hall, while the lovers of comic opera will be entertained at the Grand Opera House by the Francis Wilson Opera Company. The Grand Opera at the Music Hall, as well as the comic opera at the Grand Opera House, and the other vaudeville and standard attractions at the other theaters, will be given at popular prices, enabling the people for an investment of a very few dollars to enjoy grand opera, rendered by the same people for whom New Yorkers paid as high as $50 a seat in the Metropolitan Opera House, New York City.

Recognizing the importance of this occasion and the desire of the people to see these great entertainments, which only occur once in a great many years, the C., H & D Railway will put in a very low rate from all important stations tributary to Cincinnati, and will make special arrangements, on reasonable terms, for private cars or special schedules.

If you are thinking of attending the Opera with a party call on the C., H & D. Railway agent and let him make your arrangements.

Courageous

"No doubt about it—men are braver than they used to be."

"How do you make that out?"

"Look at the young fellows who get married on $1 a week."—*Chicago Record.*

CASTORIA.

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Boys' Gymnasium Shirts, Twenty-five cents. Miller & Jones' receivers' sale under City Bank. 72t

KENYON COLLEGE

Versus Philosophical Society in Debate Upon Cuban Question.

The debate next Monday evening in the opera house is exciting much interest. There can be no better method of arriving at the principal facts of this important question than listening to the thorough presentation of arguments, which is assured. The representatives from Kenyon College will exert themselves to the utmost to secure the decision of the judges, but the other side will be strongly upheld by Prof. Miller and Mr. Lamison. The stage will be fittingly decorated with American, Cuban and Spanish flags, and the geographical questions illustrated by an enormous map, especially prepared for the occasion, showing the acquisitions of territory by the United States since the original colonies.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

RECORDER'S OFFICE.

Philip Keil and wife to Mary M. Townsend, part of inlots 40, 41 and 42, original plat: $1,500.

James Sawey and wife to H. C. Settlage, part of inlot 341 in Baxter & Scott's addition; $2,500.

Lee Seinsheimer to Nathaniel Buck, lots 158 and 159, Clifton: $165

Jacob E. Hull to Hettie W. Zimmerman, inlot 697 in Robert's addition, Lima; $1.100,

H C Settlage to James Sawey, lots 3669 3657, 3691 and 3687 in Sellers & Settlage's addition: $1 500.

Lucinda Eastman and husband to Park Baker, quit claim to half of 40 acres in Auglaize township: $900.

NEW SUITS

C. H Keifer vs. C A. Young. Receiver.

James A. Guncheon vs. William Guncheon et al Injunction.

Henry E. Koester vs Eugene Dunlap et al. Equitable relief

The Ideal Panacea

James L Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for Coughs, Colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

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Religio-Philosophical Society.

Dr Adah Sheehan will lecture in Dorze hall at 2:30 and 7:30 p m tomorrow. She will take subjects from the audience for afternoon, which she very ably replies to. Good music. You are invited.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison of Worthington Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stenl, 2625 Cottage Grove Ave, Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and $1.00 Get a bottle at H. F. Vortkamp's Drug Store, northeast corner Main and North streets.

The Notable Event

Of the coming week at Faurot's Opera House will be Mr Frederick Warde's presentation of "Damon and Pythias" on Tuesday night. This will be a remarkable event, as Mr Warde is at his best as Damon and is ably seconded by Charles Sutton as Pythias. Furthermore, the play will be presented with special scenery, carried by the company, which is said to be very handsome and effective.

The Boston *Globe*, referring to a performance of the play in that city, said:

"Frederick Warde achieved a triumph at the Hollis Street Theatre last evening "Damon and Pythias" was the play, and those who helped to make the affair a big success were about 400 Knights of Pythias, representing all the Boston lodges of that famous order. Warde is himself a knight of high degree, and his brother knights attended the performance last evening with the determination of giving him such a reception as he never received before In this they certainly succeeded, and it has been many a night since the walls of the Hollis Street reverberated with such thunders of applause.

"After each act the curtain was raised again, and once it had to be pulled up four times before the enthusiasm of the audience was at all allayed. Beautiful floral tributes were sent over the footlights to the young star. One of a knight's helmet of white and purple immortelles and the other a great shield, symbolic of the order, composed of raised colored flowers, and bearing the initials of the order's motto, 'Charity Friendship and Brotherly Love.'"

Cuban question discussed in opera house, Monday night.

Every woman needs Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

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makes mince pies, fruit cake and pudding possible all the year 'round. Always fresh, always in season. Always good, that's the reason. Accept no substitute. Sold everywhere.

Send name and address for booklet, "Mrs. Peck-Lins Thanksgiving," by a noted humorous writer.

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Two of Taft's Stories.

The late archbishop of Canterbury had many good stories to tell. Two are recalled by his private secretary, Mr. Neville B. Phillips, in some personal reminiscences, which he contributes to the London Sunday Magazine. One concerned Archbishop Tait's coachman, who was a very original character. One day a clergyman who called at the palace asked him whether he had still as much to do as ever. The answer was sublime. "There's always a goodish bit doing, sir, but it's been a trifle easier since we took young Mr. Parry into the business." The Right Rev. Edward Parry had recently been appointed bishop suffragen of Dover.

Another of the archbishop's stories, also of a coachman, will be new to many. A gentleman living in the neighborhood of Addington, finding that the stablemen were not in the habit of attending church, spoke to his coachman about it. "They ought to go," he said. "That's just what I say myself," was the rejoinder. "I says to them: 'Look at me. I go. And what harm does it do me?'"

A Thing to Be Remembered.

Tom—Are you going to visit that heiress tonight?

Jack—No, my boy, not with this terrible cold.

Tom—Why, what difference does that make?

Jack—Why, my boy, in these days an heiress isn't to be sneezed at.

Tom—Quite right. I never thought of that.—Life.

Reason For Discretion.

"Yes, George," she said, with a fond smile, "our engagement must be kept a secret."

"But why, dear?" he asked.

"Because, silly boy, if it were made public people would think I really intended to marry you."—Philadelphia North American.

Hard Times.



Professor Scroggs—Talk about hard times, gentlemen. Why, just think of the Stone age.—Up to Date.

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Thousands of people are in this condition. They are not sick and yet they are by no means well. A single bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla would do them a world of good. It would tone the stomach, create an appetite, purify and enrich the blood and give wonderful vigor and vitality. Now is the time to take it.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, indigestion, biliousness. All druggists. 25c.

Connubial Mysteries.

"A man who is just married tells his wife everything."

"Yes?"

"And after he gets better acquainted with her he doesn't tell her anything."—*Chicago Record.*

'Tis Midnight!

Hark! All through the house rings the awful sound, once heard never forgotten, the sound of a child's croup cough. There is no time to lose. Croup is a monster that will not be trifled with. Then is the time that if you have neglected to provide yourself with a bottle of Dr. Hand's Cough and Croup Medicine you fully realize how careless and neglectful you have been. It is worth its weight in gold at that critical moment. And yet it costs only 25c a bottle at any drug store.

John Ploughman's Pictures.

You have the rare privilege of seeing them at Main St. Presbyterian Church Tuesday evening, March 16th. The pastor owns a first class lantern, else this entertainment could not be given at the low admission of 10 and 15 cts. This is one of the educational features of this church.

BRYAN'S PAPER.

The Editor Again Restored to Health

Mr George W. Hervey, editor of the Weekly *Omaha World-Herald*, is a perfect picture of health and looks more like the Hervey of other days To see him now one can hardly believe that he has been such a great sufferer. He writes of his failing health and recovery, in his characteristic way, as follows:

"For several years I was troubled with indigestion so severe as to make it impossible to take more than two meals a day without intense suffering I grew worse gradually until July, 1895, I was suddenly attacked with increased pain and soreness over the pit of my stomach and sharp pains in my right side which rapidly increased until I could scarcely get my breath. A physician was called for immediate relief and hypodermic injections of morphine were resorted to for relief. I was able to be out in about a week but had a second attack the following August, more intense than before. I was reduced from 156 to 134 lbs. in nine days and left wholly unable to take any nourishment I lived on lime water and a very little milk for several days after. For one year I carried morphine pellets in my pockets ready for an emergency. All this time my stomach was sore and very sensitive. I discovered that what would agree with my stomach this week would probably not next week, and that I was getting nearer and nearer to a final collapse. I consulted three of the best physicians in the state and two agreed fully as to my ailment but failed to give me relief. Having utterly failed to obtain relief, I finally made arrangements to go to Chicago to be treated when my little boy chanced to get a sample package of Dr. Kay's Renovator which he brought to me. I was induced to try it, not having the least faith in its virtues. I thought the sample relieved me and I purchased a 25 cent box. Before it was all used I had so improved that I was taking three meals a day, which I had not done for years. I then used one package of the large Dr. Kay's Renovator and one more of the small size. It is eight months since I commenced using Dr. Kay's Renovator and I now have no symptoms whatever of my old trouble. I have recommended it to many of my friends for stomach trouble and I think all have reported relief." GEO. W. HERVEY, Omaha, Neb., Feb 17, 1897. Dr. Kay's Renovator is sold by druggists or sent by mail for 25 cts and $1. Booklet free. Dr. B. J. Kay Medical Co., Omaha, Neb. Sold by the Harley Pharmacy, 116 west High street.

Catarrh, Hay Fever.

Kill the Catarrh microbe and you cure Catarrh. These parasites nest deep in the tissues and folds of the olfactory membrane, and are difficult to reach and kill; but Brazilian Balm will utterly destroy them if used persistently as directed. It also destroys the Hay Fever germ in a few days. Use full strength, or nearly so, for Hay Fever. Cure permanent.

CATARRH MICROBE.

Hygienics.

"Rapid eating," explained the traveling physician, at his free lecture, "is the curse of American civilization. Two-thirds of our sickness is caused by our national habit of eating a full meal in fifteen minutes."

"I s'pose," interjected Mr. Dismal Dawson, "that that there is the reason I'm so healthy I ain't eat a full meal in fifteen days."—*Indianapolis Journal.*

Loved the Bottle Before He Had Teeth.

At No 82 Warwick Ave., Zanesville, O, lives Mrs. R. H. Mills, who relates the following experience: "I have used Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion and find it all that it claims to be. Our little boy cut his teeth so hard that he almost had spasms. Bathing his gums with the Lotion would relieve him immediately. He knew the bottle better than all others and would cry for it. I advise every mother who has teething children to use Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion." At all druggists, 25c.

His Mistake.

"This," remarked Fleabitten Bill, as the committee stood him on the barrel and adjusted the noose, "this is a case where, no matter how much I may have differed with you gents before, I now find myself in a cord."

Then they took him down and burned him.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

Great Triumph.

Instant relief and a permanent cure by the great remedy, Otto's Cure for Lung and Throat diseases Why will you irritate your throat and lungs with a hacking cough when Wm. M. Melville, sole agent, will furnish you a free sample bottle of this great guaranteed remedy? Sample free. Large bottles 50c and 25c

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"What is pronunciation, Uncle Jim?"

"It is something you hunt up in a dictionary one day and forget the next."—*Chicago Record*

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is a perfect cure for coughs and colds of all sorts.

THE COMPANY LIABLE.

Pullman Car People Sued for Refusing a Negro Accommodations.

Galveston, March 13.—The court of civil appeals affirmed for the sum of the lower court in the case of the Pullman Palace Car Company versus Thomas W Cain a negro minister who purchased a first class ticket from St Louis to Galveston but was compelled to ride in a negro car.

The appellate court held that when a ticket is sold for a separate coach, like a Pullman that a negro is entitled to passage in that kind of a car or the company is liable for damages.

Notorious Bank Burglar Convicted

St Joseph, Mo., March 13 On the night of Feb. 7 1896 the State bank of Savannah Mo. was entered by masked robbers, who bound and gagged the watchman after which they looted the bank. Red O'Brien and William Loughbridge two of the most famous crooks and burglars in the country, were captured in California some time later, charged with the crime. The trial of O'Brien terminated at Savannah when the jury returned a verdict of guilty and assessed his punishment at 14 years in the penitentiary.

Aged Couple Disagree.

East Liverpool, O., March 13—Mrs Jacob Chamberlain has entered suit for divorce. They have been married 57 years, and both are over 70 years old. The wife claims she was compelled last December to go to live with her children because Jacob locked the provisions up and refused her sufficient food.

An Apology Published.

New Haven, March 13.—The Yale students who several days ago sent a Yale flag and a letter of good wishes to Pugilist Corbett at Carson City, Nev., print an apologetic card in the Yale News. They disclaim all intention to be considered as speaking for the college.

An Important Arrangement.

New York, March 13.—A very important arrangement has been entered into between the Norfolk and Western and the Joint Traffic lines, whereby the former receives a fixed percentage of westbound business under a special agreement respecting the same.

Without a Parallel.

Minneapolis, March 13. — Specials from North and South Dakota and western Minnesota show that the late snow did more damage than any other of this winter, and that it has never been equalled in this country.

Took Carbolic Acid.

Bellefontaine, O., March 13.—Joseph Dobbins, once a well-to-do citizen of this city, but who for the past few years has met with many business reverses, committed suicide by taking a dose of carbolic acid.

Murder In the First Degree.

Greencastle, Ind., March 13.—The jury in the Counts murder case returned a verdict of murder in the first degree, with a life sentence. The prisoners were remanded to jail for sentence.

Married at Eighty-Three.

Cadiz, O., March 13.—David Furbay, 83, but as chipper and spry as a majority of men 40 years old, and Mrs. Jacob Daton, a widow, 36, were married here.

Circuit Judge Appointed.

Bowling Green, O., March 13.—Robert S. Parker has been appointed circuit judge to succeed the late Judge Charles H. Scribner.

A Murderer Hanged.

La Plata, Md., March 13.—George Matthews, the murderer of James J. Irwin, was hanged in the jail yard here at 8:30 a. m.

The Weather.

For Indiana Fair; much colder with cold wave; high northwest winds

For West Virginia and Ohio—Generally fair, decidedly colder with a cold wave; temperature will fall from 20 to 30 degrees; northwesterly winds

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For March 12.

New York.

Beef—Family, $8 00@11 00, extra mess, $7 50@8 00, packed, $8 50@9 00. Cut meats—Pickled bellies, 4¾@5¼c, pickled shoulders, 5@5¼c; pickled hams, 8¾@9¼c Lard—Western steam, $4 30 Pork—Old mess, $8 50@10 00; family, $9 50@10 50; clear, $8 75@10 50.

Butter—Western dairy, 8@13c; creamery, 14@21½c, do factory, 7@14c Cheese—State large, 7¾@10½c; small, 7¾@10½c; part skims, 5@9½c; full skims, 3@3½c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 13@14c, western fresh, 13@13½c

Wheat—80¼c. Corn—28¼c. Rye—36½c. Oats—22c.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, $4 80@5 00; good, $4 50@4 75, tidy butchers', $4 20@4 50, fair, $3 50@4 00, bulls, stags and cows, $1 80@2 60.

Hogs—Prime medium, $4 00@4 05, best Yorkers, $4 00, pigs, $3 85@3 95, heavy, $3 80@4 00, roughs, $2 50@3 50

Sheep—Ohio and westerns, $4 20@4 40, prime natives, $4 50@4 60; good, $4 25@4 40, fair, $3 75@4 10, common, $3 00@3 60, choice lambs, $5 25@5 50, common to good, $4 00@5 00, calves, $6 00@6 50

Buffalo.

Cattle—Veals, choice, $5 75@6 50, a few fancy at $6 75

Hogs—Mediums and heavies, $4 00@4 05, Yorkers, $4 10, pigs, $4 00.

Sheep and Lambs—Prime selected lambs, $5 35@5 50, fair to good, $5 00@5 25; culls to fair, $4 25@4 75; sheep, good butcher grades, $4 25@4 40, prime wethers, $4 50@4 65, culls, $2 75@3 50

Chicago.

Hogs—Light, $3 75@4 00, mixed, $3 70@3 90, heavy, $3 50@3 90; rough, $3 50@3 55

Cattle—Beeves, $3 60@5 10, cows and heifers, $2 00@4 25, Texas steers, $3 20@4 25, stockers and feeders, $3 25@4 25

Sheep—[illegible]

Wheat 71½@72c Corn 27⅝c Oats 16¾c Rye 32½c

Cincinnati.

Wheat No 2 red 88½@89c Corn No 2 mixed, 21½@21¾c Oats No 2 mixed 18c Rye No 2, 36c

Lard $3 90 Pork mess $4 50@4 60, Bacon $5 10@5 20

Hogs $3 75@4 00 Cattle $2 50@4 75 Sheep $2 50@4 75 Lambs 4 50@5 25

Baltimore.

Butter—Extra creamery 17@20c Eggs Fresh, 10@10c

Toledo.

Wheat 80c Corn 24½c Clover seed $5 10

A PLAGUE OF THE NIGHT.

ITCHING PILES AND OTHER RECTAL TROUBLES EASILY CURED BY A NEW AND SAFE METHOD.

A Remarkable Number of Cures Made by the Pyramid Pile Cure.

About one person in every four suffers from some form of rectal disease The most common and annoying are itching piles, indicated by warmth, moisture and intense, uncontrollable itching in the parts affected.

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Address the Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich., for book on cause and cure of piles and a few hundreds of testimonials from all parts of the United States.

If suffering from any form of piles ask your druggist for a package of Pyramid Pile Cure and try it to night.

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Leave Chicago	2:45	a m
" Indianapolis	7:55	a m
" Cincinnati	12:05	m
Arrive Washington	6:47	a m
" Baltimore	7:05	a m
Returning, the sleeper will		
Leave Baltimore	11:00	a m
" Washington, D. C	12:00	m
" Cincinnati	3:30	a m
" Indianapolis	7:00	a m
Arrive Chicago	12:00	m

The sleepers are of the latest Pullman pattern, equal to any running on any line

Are You Going to Travel This Summer?

If you have decided in the affirmative and wish to gather a comprehensive idea of the very best summer resorts in the northern United States, the great lake region and Canada, you can obtain satisfactory information by sending 4 2 in postage stamps to Mr. D. G Edwards, Passenger Traffic Manager C, H & D. Ry., Cincinnati, Ohio, who will in return send you a copy of "A Michigan Romance" an attractive story by Stanley Waterloo, containing also full information about the summer resorts of the great north. The intelligent traveler will appreciate this work. The O., H & D. Ry have also under preparation another series of books for the coming summer.

Keep These Dates in Your Mind.

December 22, January 5 19, February 2 16 April 6 20, May 4 18—On these dates agents of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railway will sell settlers' tickets to points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia North and South Carolina, Florida, Mississippi, Virginia and Louisiana, one way, at special low rates. Persons intending to go south this winter or spring will do well to call on any agent of the O, H & D Ry, who will not only furnish them with information as to the rates but will also obtain literature descriptive of the portion of the country to which they are looking Agents will cheerfully assist anyone in obtaining information who will ask for it.

Sunday December 20th the O., H. & D. and Wabash inaugurated a line of Pullman and Wagner reclining chair cars and sleeping cars between Cincinnati and Hannibal, Mo. This line will be made up of the O., H & D. R'y to Indianapolis, I. D. & W. R'y to Decatur and the Wabash Decatur to Hannibal. The equipment is new, having been built especially for this line. The name of the Pullman car is "Selena," the Wagner being named "Baltimore." These cars will leave Cincinnati every evening at 7:15 arriving Indianapolis, 10:40 p.m., Decatur, 4:05 a. m., Springfield, 7:25 a. m., Jacksonville, 8:25 a m., and Hannibal, 11:40 a. m. Returning the car will leave Hannibal, 4 30 p m, Jacksonville, 7.55 p. m Springfield 8.40 p. m., Decatur, 10:30 p. m., Indianapolis 3.35 p. m., arrive Cincinnati, 7 30 a m These cars are models of beauty and contain every device for the safety and convenience of the traveling public being furnished with a large and commodious smoking room, and toilet rooms upholstered in brown frieze plush, with draperies to match. The cars are mounted on six-wheel standard trucks, gas lighted and steam heated. The Pullman and Wagner cars will alternate in the run

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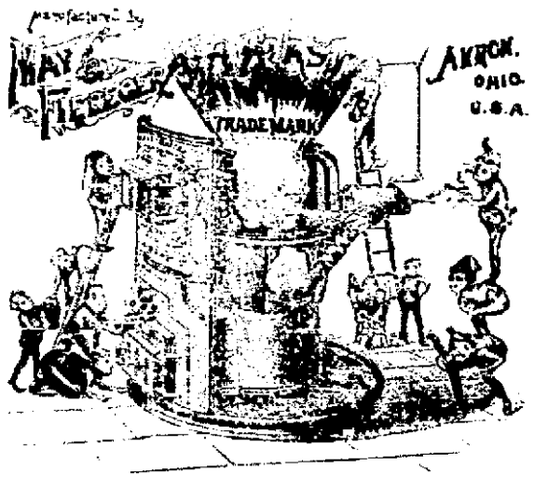
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LOST—Knights of Pythias emblem charm Finder will please return to M. H. Straus, Cambridge Hotel, to day and receive reward. After to-day, mail to M. H. Straus, 14 east Town s., Columbus, Ohio.

WRIST BROKEN.

John Hoover is Thrown Out of a Buggy and Badly Bruised.

John Hoover met with a painful accident last evening about half past seven o'clock. Mr. Hoover was driving south on Main street, when his buggy ran into a pile of dirt that had been thrown out of a trench which was being dug across Main street opposite the court house. He was thrown out into the road, receiving a bad bruise on the forehead and an injured wrist. He was carried into Vortkamp's drug store and Doctors Frisbie and Steuber were called. The right wrist was broken in three different places.

The horse which he was driving, stumbled and received an ugly cut on one of his front legs

Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

After having been confined to the house for eleven days and paying out $25 in doctor bills without benefit, Mr. Frank Dolson, of Saulte Ste. Marie, Mich., was cured by one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, costing 25 cents, and has not since been troubled with that complaint. For sale by Melville, the Druggist, old postoffice corner; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

Kenyon College versus Philosophical Society, in Cuban debate, Monday.

THIRTY-FIFTH

Convention of the Third District Baptist Sunday School

In Session at the Second Baptist Church —Programme of Sunday Services.

The thirty-fifth convention of the Third District Baptist Sunday School and the Third District Home Missionary Society are in session at the Second Baptist Church on west Spring street, of which G. A. Madison is pastor. The programme of exercises for to-morrow is as follows:

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

9 A. M.—GENERAL SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Superintendent.....
.....Rev. J. W. Jackson, Van Wert
Secretary.....Charles Davis, Sidney
Class No. 1.....Sarah Evans, Kenton
Class No. 2.....Rev. J. S. Adams, Sidney
Class No. 3.....
.....Miss Amanda Kletchko, West Mansfield
Class No. 4.....Miss Cora Cooper, Van Wert
Class No. 5.....Mrs. Hardman, Glenmore
Class No. 6.....Mrs. A. O. Gilliard, Lima
Treasurer.....George Madison, Lima
Librarian.....
.....Miss Winona Whetzel, West Mansfield

11 O'CLOCK A. M.

Sermon.....Rev. Patterson, Van Wert
Music.....
Collection.....
Benediction.....

HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

THIRD SESSION—2 P. M.

Devotional Exercises.....
Roll Call of Delegates.....
Reading of Minutes of previous Session.....
Reading of Letters from Different Missionary Societies.....
Sermon.....Rev. Green, Fort Wayne
Music.....
Collection.....
Benediction.....

B. Y. P. Union, 6:15 o'clock.....

7:30 O'CLOCK P. M.

Closing Sermon.....
.....Rev. Paul Cumberland, Sidney
Report of Committees.....
Collection.....
Music.....
Benediction.....

People buy Hood's Sarsaparilla year after year because it does them good. It will do you good to take it now.

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DAYTON NORTHERN.

Plans for the New Depot Are Being Prepared

BY LOCAL ARCHITECTS.

The New Structure will be Constructed of Red Sandstone—Lima Northern Difficulty at Adrian Adjusted Notes of Interest.

The plans and specifications for the new Dayton Northern depot to be constructed on the Mayo property at east Wayne street and the L. E. & W. R. R., are being prepared by Messrs. Leech & Leech, architects of this city, and will be completed within a few days.

The new depot will be constructed of red sandstone and the dimensions of the depot building proper will be 42 by 28 feet. The structure will be two stories high, with a tower containing a large clock. On the first floor a ticket office and ladies' and gents' waiting and toilet rooms will be located, while the second floor will contain offices. The building will front upon Wayne street, and a roof will extend from above the first story out to the gutter, making a shelter over the sidewalk. A separate building will be constructed at the east end of the depot for a baggage room.

The new depot will be finished inside with hard wood, will be heated by steam, lighted by electricity, and covered with Spanish tile roofing. The structure will be a credit to the city, and Messrs. Leech & Leech are to be congratulated upon their acquisition.

ADRIAN DIFFICULTY ADJUSTED.

According to the Adrian, Mich., *Times*, a settlement has been effected between the Adrian furniture company and the Lima Northern railway officials, relative to the railroad crossing the company's property. Members of the citizens' committee were also present at the conference.

John E. Bird, attorney for the furniture company, furnished the following details in a conversation this morning:

"When the original line was surveyed, Mr. Metcalf, a member of the furniture company, looked it over, and suggested that it be deflected far enough west so as not to cut the lumber yard in two. He was told this could not be done. Mr. Metcalf, however, had had thirty years' experience in railroad matters, and knew that it could be done. Hence the $11,100 proposition. If the railroad company could not be accommodating, the furniture company decided that it could not be.

"On Wednesday morning a new line was staked out, in accordance with Mr. Metcalf's suggestion, being shifted nearly fifty feet west of the first line. Then the furniture company made a proposition on the basis of what the lots cost, namely $900, and told the railroad people that in consideration of the acceptance of this proposition it would donate $200, thus leaving but $700 to be paid.

"This offer was satisfactory to the railroad officials and the contract will be closed this afternoon."

B. OF L. F. TROUBLES.

A dispatch from Terre Haute, Ind., says:

The people here are watching with considerable interest the agitation now going on concerning the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. Since the grand lodge was moved from this city to Peoria there has been considerable dissatisfaction, and the members in this city are ripe for an investigation. It is given out on authority that cannot be disputed that there are now in the brotherhood less than 1,100 active firemen, men who are actually employed on railroads. There are 18,000 firemen employed by railroads who are not members of the brotherhood. So the brotherhood is practically made up of a membership that is not in railroad work

NOTES.

Andy Bressler, formerly a brakeman on the L. E. & W., now of Van Wert, was shaking hands with his old acquaintances on the south side today.

The Pullman company is building twelve sleeping cars for the Pennsylvania lines which excel any yet built. Five have been delivered and are attracting much attention.

On Friday a special on the Panhandle made the run from Pittsburg to Columbus, 193 miles, in four hours and fifteen minutes, the fastest run ever made with a train between these points.

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The greatest danger from La Grippe is of its resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for la grippe, we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of that dread disease. It will effect a permanent cure in less time than any other treatment. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Melville, the Druggist, old postoffice corner; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

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DEATH OF A BABE.

Mabel, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs James Donald, Died To-day.

Little Mabel, the sixteen-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Donald, of 916 St. John's avenue, died at 11 o'clock this morning from bowel trouble.

The funeral services will be conducted from the residence by Rev Geo. Byron Morse, of the Berea Baptist Church, at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, and the remains will be interred in Woodlawn cemetery.

SABBATH SERVICES.

WEST LIMA MISSION CHURCH,

corner of High and Cole streets Preaching Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching in the evening at 6:30 The morning and evening services will be conducted by Rev. D. Lepiy Revival services every evening. Rev. Cook has been preaching with great power and influence. Everybody invited to all the services.

S. P. OVERHOLTZ, Pastor.

CALVARY REFORMED CHURCH,

Corner east High and Cemetery streets. Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Bible study at 6 p. m. The evening subject, "Hope," the second of a series of evening sermons. All are cordially invited.

J. C. HORNING, Pastor in Charge.

MAIN ST. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. Sermon on "Lot" at 10:45. Junior Endeavor at 2:30. Senior C. E. at 6, and the second of a series of sermons on "Pilgrim's Progress" (illustrated) at 7. Illustrated lecture on Tuesday evening. Worker's Training class at 7:30 Wednesday evening. Gospel service on Thursday evening at 7. Strangers and persons without church homes especially invited.

W. G. SMITH, Pastor.

ZION'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH,

North Union street. Sunday school at 9 a. m. English service at 10:15 a. m. and 7 p. m. Subject of morning sermon: "God Hath Not Called Us Unto Uncleanness, but Unto Holiness." Evening subject: "Brethren of Christ Crucified." Luther League at 5:00 p. m. All welcome.

F. W. ROHLFING, Pastor.

GENERAL SYNOD LUTHERAN CHURCH,

cor. west Spring and Pierce streets. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Regular preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. The public invited.

I. J. MILLER, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST,

West Wayne street. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school 9:15 a. m. Jr. C. E. at 2 p. m. and Sr. C. E. 6 p. m. Sunday evening will be the opening of a series of sermons on the subject of "God's Religion for All Ages." One sermon of this series each Sunday evening until the course is completed. A very large illustrated chart will be used. This is a rare opportunity; you should not miss it.

C. A. HILL, Pastor.

MARKET ST. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,

Corner west Market and West streets. The pastor, Rev. R. J. Thomson, will preach morning and evening. Subject at 10 a. m., "What is Truth?" Subject at 7:30 p. m., "The Ways of Seeing Things." Sunday School at 11:30. Children's class at 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7. Seats free at all services. The public welcomed.

CHRIST CHURCH,

North and West streets. Second Sunday in Lent. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 10 o'clock. Sunday School at 11:30 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7 o'clock. Week day services—Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 4 o'clock p. m.; Wednesday and Friday at 7:30 p. m. Welcome to all services.

C. B. CRAWFORD, Rector.

From Cripple Creek.

After the big fire in Cripple Creek I took a very severe cold and tried many remedies without help, the cold only becoming more settled After using three small bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, both the cough and cold left me, and in this high altitude it takes a meritorious cough remedy to do any good —G. R. HENDERSON, editor *Daily Advertiser*. For sale by Melville, the Druggist, old postoffice corner; C. W. Heister, 58 Public Square.

Divorce Granted.

Mrs. Ethel L. Williams, of Delphos, who was refused a divorce last June, was this week granted a divorce from her husband, Joseph P. Williams, on the ground of extreme cruelty and drunkenness. The opening of the case occupied but a short time and Judge Sheets, of Ottawa, granted the decree and restored her to her maiden name of Brown.

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Here is the case of Mrs. Haff, who lives at 140 Summer Ave., Newark, N. J., and whose portrait is printed here.

"My doctor," she says, "called my disease liver complaint, stomach trouble, nervous dyspepsia and almost every other name you could think of. When I was in Portland, Ore., I had enlargement of the liver, and the doctor thought all the trouble came from that severe spell of illness. That was 12 years ago, and I have done nothing but doctor ever since. I have had the best physicians examine me, and see if they could do anything for me. For months at a time my stomach and liver have been so sore that I could lie in bed only in misery, and with such severe pain in my back and so weak that I could hardly talk.

"After I had a bad night I would send for the doctor and he would leave me a small box of powders and one or two other medicines, and it would cost me $1 every time I had one of those spells. I believe I have taken more medicine than any other living woman.

"Last March I had a call from a lady friend of mine, who asked me, 'What is the matter with you?' I replied by saying, 'How well you look!' 'Yes,' she said, 'I never felt so well in my life.' She is a woman of 45. 'And now,' she said, 'I want to give you a little advice. I have been almost at death's door with liver trouble. After the doctor had done all that he could for me I told him not to come again. I showed him a bottle of Paine's celery compound and told him I was going to give that a fair trial. As a result, I am strong and well.'

"I sent right over to the drug store and got a bottle of Paine's celery compound, and when I had taken two bottles the soreness had left my stomach and my side felt much better. After I had taken four bottles my side was much stronger, and I was in better spirits and felt as though I might live and not be in such misery. Working people nowadays, work the vitality all out every week, and all I ask is to be able to earn the money I have to every week.

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SELECTIONS

BELFAST LANDMARKS.

Historic Houses Give Way to the March of Progress.

The march of improvement and the spirit of modernity are accountable for many sad vicissitudes of sentiment, and what was probably the last connecting link between the old and the present day of Belfast has at length been destroyed by the ruthless hand of the builder. The last of the thatched cottages which were the distinguishing feature of the picturesque, if not so advanced, Belfast of more than a century ago have just been demolished in accordance with the progressive ideas of the time, and in their stead will be reared a structure which, if not so interesting in appearance, will certainly be more in accordance with up to date ideas of comfort and sanitary efficiency, though half a century hence these ideas may be quite as effete as we are now pleased to regard those of the "good old days."

The two thatched cottages to which we refer were situated at the upper end of Frederick street, close to North Queen street, within two doors of the Nurses' home. When, about a century ago, most of the houses in Belfast were thatched, special provision had to be made by the civic fathers to prevent the frequent recurrence of the fires which played such havoc in the small town. The upper portion of Frederick street was an old lane leading from Carrickfergus road, now North Queen street, for in the last century and early in the present the road to Carrick was up North street, and thence along Carrick hill (hence the name) and to the Shore road, running into it at Lilliput. The old name of Frederick street was Brewery lane, and it was a locality of not much repute.

Near to the houses now being removed stood another cabin, known as the Thatched tavern, which was the haunt of many of the disaffected of the town and often the scene of much disorder and strife. On the other side of the street, where the Friends' meeting house now stands, was another row of thatched cabins, with little gardens in front. Here a notorious character, called the Friar, lived for some time. He was sunk to the lips in all "treason, conspiracy and rebellion" and was versed beyond all others in the secret haunts and customs of the town. Nothing of a dangerous nature was hidden from him, and nothing was too daring for him to attempt to carry out. His funeral at midnight in Shankill graveyard, when torches were used, was long a theme among the masses, somewhat similar to the "night before Larry was stretched" in Dublin. It was here that the ill fated young Lord Fitzgerald found a concealed shelter on the occasion of his short visit to the north prior to the rising in 1798, and here many others of a less prominent position found shelter from the weather and concealment from the eyes of the law.

In later years these houses were removed one by one, their declining years being solaced by huckstering in a small way, the trading within their walls never extending beyond a few potatoes and a pile of dirty cabbages, with the inevitable row of herrings on a wire hanging on a nail by the door, the number of which decreased each returning Friday, to satisfy the wants of the miserable denizens of the district, whose occupation seemed to consist largely in selling to each other fish and vegetables. While we may regret, because of its antiquarian interest, the removal of an ancient landmark, which, by the way, seemed strangely incongenial amid its more substantial surroundings, we can at least congratulate ourselves on the progress of which we are reminded by a comparison of the past with the present and on the fact that the discreditable associations of the neighborhood in question are now a matter only of history.—Belfast Weekly News.

Twenty-four o'Clock.

After May 1 all official timekeeping in Belgium will be done on the 1 to 24 o'clock principle, and clocks that obey the government regulations will be kept very busy striking the hours as midnight approaches. Whether the Belgian people in general will readily fall in with an innovation of this kind remains to be seen, but already men are at work repainting the faces of all the official clocks, and in places like railway stations, postoffices, etc., the dials now bear, within the old circle of Roman figures, another formed of the Arabic figures from 13 to 24. This will help one over the difficulty of translating the afternoon and evening hours into the terms of the new system, or rather of the old one revived, and the advocates of the change are hopeful that it will soon be possible for every one to say "16 o'clock" or "22 o'clock" without performing a problem in mental arithmetic.

An All Around Editor.

The editor of the Concordia (Kan.) Blade says that he can not only go to the case and "set up" editorials out of his head, but that he can do so while carrying on an animated conversation at the same time. Moreover, he expresses a desire to wager $100 on this proposition: "We will compose and set an article on any subject to be chosen and at the same time beat the best player in Wichita at a game of checkers and worry any man in the state at a game of chess, all the performances to be going at the same moment." He also declares that he can use more profanity in a briefer space of time than any other editor in the state, and in this he is ready to meet all comers. "We will wager $100 with any printer in the state," says he, "that we can outpray him and will leave it to his congregation to decide."

BREVITIES

PERSONALITIES.

Prosecutor Pobedonostzeff is desirous of having Tolstoi tried by the holy synod of Russia for heresy.

The young Earl of Shaftesbury is to marry a fair Australian, an exceedingly wealthy young woman, a Miss Mary Clarke.

Sir Alfred Maloney, the ex-governor of British Honduras, has been appointed governor of St. George, one of the Windward islands.

Prince Ernst von Windischgratz, who was robbed by Corsican brigands a month or two ago, died recently of consumption at Ajaccio.

Count Muravieff, the new Russian minister of foreign affairs, is the grandson of the general who so harshly suppressed the Polish revolution of 1863.

William H. Manson, the sailor who carried Farragut ashore on his back at the siege of New Orleans, died at his home in York, Me., the last of January.

Princess Henrietta of Sleswick-Holstein, the German empress' aunt, who married her dectter, Professor von Esmarch, is about to celebrate her silver wedding.

Some years ago the Rev. Dr. Crane, the father of Stephen Crane, the novelist, wrote a tract on popular amusements in which he condemned novel reading as one of the vices of the age.

Agostino Carli, the London caterer who died recently, was a millionaire. He was peasant born and lived as a peasant, with no desire to go into society. In later years he owned the Adelphi theater.

Governor Lowndes of Maryland admits that as a farmer he has been a complete failure. Unlike most unsuccessful farmers, he says it was not the fault of the farm, but because he doesn't understand the business.

Professor Lewis Swift of Rochester has been awarded the Jackson gold medal by the Royal Astronomical Society of England in recognition of his services to the cause of science. He now has four gold, one silver and four bronze medals.

Dr. Lydia Rabinovitch, a Russian Jewess, has taken charge of the new bacteriological laboratory in the Woman's Medical college, Philadelphia. Dr. Rabinovitch pursued the course of study at Professor Koch's laboratory in Berlin.

John Mauck, a pioneer of Washington, who cast his first vote for Jackson, died on the day before Christmas at Oakdale, in that state, at the age of 96 and left directions that his body be wrapped in a winding sheet and put in a plain pine coffin, as had been the usual way in his early life.

The tallest man in the English aristocracy, with the possible exception of the Duke of Somerset, is the young Duke of Leeds, known as "England's gin duke," from the fact that he is an active member of the firm of Holland & Co., makers of the famous gin. He is said to be the wittiest man in the house of lords.

AMONG THE DRAMATISTS.

Madeleine Lucette Ryley has outlined a new comedy.

Bronson Howard is completing a new American drama.

William Gillette has a new light comedy under way.

Charles T. Dazey is in France writing a new southern play.

Charles Klein is putting finishing touches to a new comedy.

Franklyn Fyles has announced a new melodrama for next season.

Augustus Thomas will soon leave for Idaho in search of material for a new play.

Tristrom du Berton has completed for Nettie de Conney an operatic extravaganza entitled "The Grawkoler."

Charles Reade Gilbert, a nephew of the famous author, Charles Reade, has finished a melodrama, "In the Long Run."

Professor S. C. de Soissons contemplates a New York production of his satirical comedy, "Husbands to Purchase."

Henry Guy Carleton is said to have two new comedies nearly ready, one with its scene in Cuba and the other in Florida.

Mme. A. Chandler has sold the South American rights of her play, "The Tell-tale Heart," to Signor Novelli, the Italian actor.

Bickley Reilly's new play has been purchased by Robert Mantell and M. W. Hanley and will be produced at Philadelphia in the spring.

Robert Chambers has made for Augustin Daly the dramatization of "Guy Mannering," which is soon to be produced under the title of "The Witch of Dumbelaugh."

DAINTY TRIFLES.

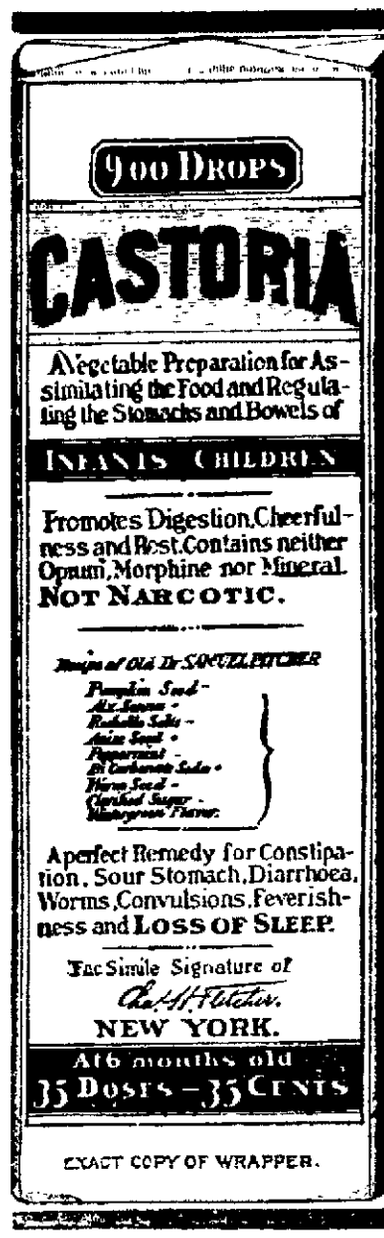
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Westward.		9	15	8	30	7
		AM	PM	PM	AM	PM
Pittsb'gh	lv	*7 00	*6 30	*1 40		
Alliance	ar	9 50	8 55	4 35		
Canton	lv	10 26	9 27	5 20		
Massillon	"	10 38	9 40	5 40		
Wooster	"	11 18	10 26	6 31		
Mansfield	"	12 25	11 30	7 53		
Crestline	ar	12 50	11 50	8 25		
Crestline	lv	12 55	12 05	PM	†6 20	*1 45
Robinson	"	....	....		6 32	‡1 56
Bucyrus	"	1 16	12 25		6 45	2 05
Nevada	"	....	....		7 03	2 21
U. Sandusky	"	1 41	12 50		7 18	2 33
Kirby	"	....			7 42	2 45
Forest	"	....	1 10		8 00	2 52
Dunkirk	"	....	....		8 15	3 03
Washingt'n	"	....			8 32	‡3 08
Ada	"	....	1 34		8 54	3 19
Lafayette	"				9 05	3 23
Lima	"	2 50	3 00		9 20	3 44
Elida	"				9 35	3 59
Delphos	"	3 14	2 24		9 50	4 11
Middlepoint	"				10 05	4 21
Van Wert	"	3 34	2 44		10 17	4 33
Convoy	"	....	....		10 33	4 47
Dixon	"	....	....		10 43	‡4 56
Monroeville	"	....	....		10 51	5 03
Maples	"	....			11 01	‡5 13
Adams	"				11 08	
Ft. Wayne	ar	4 25	3 35		11 25	5 30
Warsaw	"	5 31	4 46		1 03	6 51
Plymouth	"	6 06	5 20		1 55	7 33
Valparaiso	"	7 24	6 30		3 10	9 31
Chicago	ar	9 00	8 00		4 55	9 55
		PM	AM		PM	PM

Eastward.		•	5	4	6	36
		AM	PM	PM	AM	PM
Chicago	lv	†7 30	*3 00	*11 30	*2 45	†5 40
Valparaiso	"	9 15	4 32	1 35	4 01	7 21
Plymouth	"	10 38	5 45	2 13	5 00	8 40
Warsaw	"	11 30	6 26	3 56	5 39	9 26
Ft. Wayne	"	1 10	7 45	5 40	7 00	10 45
Adams	"	‡1 22	....		....	PM
Maples	"	1 31 a		‡6 00	....	
Monroeville	"	1 42	8 13	6 12	....	
Dixon	"	1 50 a	....	‡6 20	....	
Convoy	"	2 01 a	....	6 31	....	
Van Wert	"	2 18	8 43	6 46	....	
Middlepoint	"	2 33	....	7 01	....	
Delphos	"	2 45	9 05	7 13	....	
Elida	"	3 01	....	7 30		
Lima	"	3 15	9 38	7 45	8 30	
Lafayette	"	3 33		8 05	....	
Ada	"	3 48	10 08	8 18	8 54	
Washingt'n	"	‡4 01	....	‡8 32	....	
Dunkirk	"	4 06		8 38	....	
Forest	"	4 18	10 26	8 51	....	
Kirby	"	4 28		9 01		
U. Sandusky	"	4 42	10 46	9 15	9 41	
Nevada	"	5 01		9 36	....	
Bucyrus	"	5 19	11 19	9 56	10 09	
Robinson	"	5 34		10 10	....	22
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Canton	"	9 25	2 34	1 21	2 05	8 12
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Pittsb'gh	ar	1 15	5 50	5 10	5 45	1 15
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"England is termed puritanical," said a New Yorker who has been in London a good deal, "but English people who consider themselves very proper do things sometimes which would shock people of a similar sort in this country. For instance, even clergymen often play cards for money, and women do so as a matter of course. I never played a game at an English house at which there was not a stake.

"The stake was small if women were among the players, and possibly only a few shillings changed hands, but it never seemed to occur to any English people I ever met to play for fun. The people were of the middle class, which is anything but fast.

"Fancy an American clergyman playing cards for money! He would be considered a bad lot by many if he played cards even for fun. And certainly a young woman who arose from a card table with a dollar, more or less, of a man's money in her possession would be considered fast to say the least."—New York Sun.

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A few applications of Salvation Oil will readily cure sprains and bruises, and heal cuts, burns and scalds. It is undoubtedly the best pain cure on the market, and should be ready for use in every home in the land. Mr. Frank Stubenhauer, 1827 Elm St., Dubuque, Iowa, says: "I used Salvation Oil for a sprained elbow, which threatened to prevent me from working, and after several thorough rubbings, I awoke the very next morning much relieved and able to go to work. Had I not used Salvation Oil I certainly would have lost a week's work, which would have amounted to many times the cost of a bottle of Oil. Everybody should keep Salvation Oil in the house." It is sold everywhere for only 25 cents.

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Why They Object.

"Why do your parents object so to Mr. Long-top?"

Edith—Mamma objects to his shortcomings and papa to his long stayings. —New Orleans Times-Democrat.

"I was completely covered with sores. Every muscle in my body ached. Had been sick for five years. Doctors could do me no good. Most of my time was spent in bed; was a complete wreck. Burdock's Blood Bitters have completely cured me in three months." Mrs. Annie Zoepen, Crookstown, Minn.

Saved A Boy's Life.

Mrs. Captain H. Hubbard, of Milford, Del., says: "Brazilian Balm saved my boy's life. He began just like the one we lost with croup. We gave him a few doses. He quickly dropped to sleep, and was all right in the morning."

IN THE FLOOD'S PATH

THE OPTIMISM THAT LOOKS FOR BETTER TIMES NEXT SEASON.

The Dwellers Along the Shores of the Destroying Streams Stay and Suffer Loss Year After Year With Hope Springing Eternal In Their Breasts.

The reports from the district through which the Potomac and the Shenandoah rivers flow show that the floods have again caused the loss of much property and that the destruction was greater than at any other time since 1886. For a few hours, when the waters were at the highest, there was much apprehension as far down the Potomac river as Harper's Ferry, where the usually quiet stream resembled a huge, roaring torrent, which threatened to carry away the massive bridge which spans the river, so violently did it break against its granite abutments. The water had been drawn from the canal which runs parallel with the river, but the freshet had filled the bed to overflowing, and the strip of land which separated it from the madly rushing river had become so narrow in some places that river and canal seemed doomed to become merged at any moment, to the destruction of the artificial banks. The lowlands farther up on the line of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, as far as Martinsburg, were flooded, and the farm products, for which the owners had hoped to realize a handsome revenue, were destroyed, stock was drowned, and buildings collapsed. To many of the people who went to the inundated district to make observations and who looked upon the appalling spectacle the fact that people would live in such a district, where equally severe inundations might be expected any year, was incomprehensible. They asked, Why should a man risk his life and his property in a place which offers nothing more than other places where there are no floods? And the farmer says that it costs too much to pull up stakes and to go elsewhere, and even if it did not the place was good enough for his family "away back," and it is good enough for him. The fact is that people usually believe that the flood of that year will be the last to do any damage.

This is not true of the rural districts alone, but it fits the residents of large cities whose geographical situations make floods almost an annual occurrence. The best examples of that kind are Cincinnati and Albany. Cincinnati has had some terrible floods, and the records on the wharf show that the Ohio has measured 84 feet in depth between the city and Covington. Several of the streets running parallel with the river have often been changed into miniature rivers, and the stores and warehouses on the river front have had water in the second stories. But the people remained in the stores after the floods had subsided, and when the torrents came down from Pittsburg and Wheeling the next time and converted the broad levee into a lagoon, swept by coffee colored water, the same merchants were in the same stores that had been flooded when the Ohio was "up" the last time.

Albany can tell the same story. When the time for breaking up comes, when the ice in front of the city begins to assume the telltale curve form, and when even the small boy cannot be tempted to cross on the honeycombed surface, the people who have goods on the ground floors in houses along the river front move them one story higher up in the house and watch for the ice to move out. Sometimes it does so with little ado, and the frozen mass goes sailing down the stream in large floes, leaving no trace of destruction behind, and the old river, which had been hidden from view for weeks, reappears, possibly a trifle higher than its normal condition, but imperceptibly so to the unschooled observer. And then the man who had prepared for high water puts his goods back where they were and tells his neighbors that the days of high water are over.

The next year the ice is likely to break up without warning after a short thaw and to become choked on the bar below on its way down stream. The water backs up in the city, and when it is rising fast, when Broadway has become a river and the roof of the People's line sheds can barely be seen peeping over the ice covered water, the cry may come, "The Troy water is coming!" and the water will continue to rise, to the delight only of the boys who row about the streets and take people from their bedroom windows to "shore."

Stocks are destroyed, household goods are ruined, people contract illness because of the exposure, and still, when the waters have receded, when the great cakes of ice which were left high and dry on the streets by the falling waters have melted away and the spring sun has absorbed the last vestiges of the flood's work, the people clean up their stores and their houses and wait for the next high water. And some who have been compelled to listen for years to the tales of the old timers about the high water of 1857, "when they had boats in Franklin street and when the river froze tight again when the flood was at its highest," live in hopes to see a larger one, if only to stop the yarns about 1857, which grow larger every year.—New York Tribune.

Fifteen English Sovereigns.

All kinds of interesting and curious facts are being brought to light in connection with the sixtieth year of Queen Victoria's reign. It is pointed out that this anniversary is also the three hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the death of King Henry VIII, since which event 15 sovereigns and Oliver Cromwell have ruled over Great Britain. Of these 350 years, Queen Elizabeth, George III and Queen Victoria have monopolized 175 years, leaving the other 12 sovereigns and the Protector, Cromwell, but 175 years between them.

STRUCK BY A QUAIL.

He Was on a Flat Car When He Was Hit and Thought There Was a Wreck.

Arthur L. Lezinsky, a lawyer of Stockton, Cal., and a few friends were on an excursion train taking a run over the new road to Corral Hollow a few days ago. The quails in that region along the road weren't used to cars. The noise and smoke seemed to frighten them, and they lost their ordinary wariness and caution. Instead of flying and running away as fast as wings and legs could carry them or hiding in the bushes they flew back and forth across the track and over the excursion cars—a flat car provided with chairs. They flew so low that some of the men jumped and dodged to avoid being hit.

It was a straight piece of track, and the engineer was spurting along at a great rate. As the birds rose from the bushes and whirred across the car Mr. Lezinsky tried to catch one in his hat. The other men were dodging and stooping while the lawyer was reaching eagerly about with his hat. Suddenly he fell to the floor. His friends found him insensible and a dead quail lying by his side. The bird had struck him on the left temple close to the eye. It was several minutes before he recovered consciousness. Then he looked around anxiously and asked what caused the wreck and if anybody had been killed. He would not believe his friends' account of what had happened until he had examined the dead bird. He is having the bird mounted by a taxidermist.

CASTING COPPER PURE.

A Discovery of Greatest Importance In the Electrical World.

The current issue of The Electrical Review contains the announcement of a discovery in the art of casting copper. Copper is ordinarily cast by the use of alloys. It is stated that the new metal, which is known as M. B. copper, is cast pure. Foundrymen have heretofore considered this an impossibility.

It is also stated that the new metal possesses an additional tensile strength of 33½ per cent, and that a much higher percentage of elasticity has been developed, and that the new metal has a conductivity of 95 per cent as compared with the best rolled copper. This will cause distinct changes in the building of dynamos, motors, railway and telegraphic apparatus, because the new copper is believed to carry the same amount of current with one-third the amount of metal. Wire made of it will have greater strength and conductivity than the ordinary copper wire.

Mr. Edison says he accounts for the evident change in the atomic structure of the metal by the theory that the shape of the crystals has been altered so that their lines are parallel and that the molecules are thus brought closer together and into more intimate contact with each other. It is understood that Mr. Edison is interested in the development of this metal, and that it will be manufactured under his supervision at his Menlo Park works.

LIKE A REAL REPORTER.

Ex-Senator Ingalls Is Covering Assignments For a New York Daily Paper.

Ralph Ingalls the other night received a telegram from his father, ex-Senator J. J. Ingalls. It ran:

"Meet me at the Union depot in Kansas City at 8."

Ralph did so, and the ex-senator started the conversation by saying:

"I want to apologize to you, my son, for licking you when you were a boy for keeping fighting cocks and scrapping with the neighbors' kids. I am going to Carson City to report the Corbett-Fitzsimmons prizefight for the New York Journal."

After the junior Ingalls had recovered from his surprise he urbanely accepted his father's apology, and the latter continued:

"Just at present, however, I am going to Washington to write up my impression of the inaugural parade. From there I'll go to Carson City."—Kansas City Times.

Towed His Log 15,037 Knots From Manilla.

The sea space between Sandy Hook and Manilla, over a course in which there was a good deal of tacking, is 15,037 knots, according to a patent log towed all the way from the capital of the Philippine islands by the British bark Veronica. Captain Eagles of the Veronica thinks the log is a record breaker and will put it among the nautical curiosities in his cabin. The bark covered the course in 120 days.

Ample Protection.

The New Mexico council has passed a law requiring every sleeping car passing through the territory to carry safes for the protection of the passengers' valuables, and Mr. Pullman responds by threatening to lock the doors of all his cars when they are passing through the territory. Between the two powers the passengers ought to be well protected from all robbers except the porter.—Charleston News and Courier.

Two Obstacles.

One of Congressman Sulloway's constituents in New Hampshire wrote him the other day about a pension bill. Mr. Sulloway replied:

"Only two obstacles stand in the way of passing your bill—Jehovah and Tom Reed. I think I can manage Jehovah if you will look after Reed."

Mr. Sulloway has not yet received a reply to his letter.—Washington Post.

Called to Be Pastor on Vanderbilt's Estate.

The Rev. Dr. R. R. Swope of St. Matthew's P. E. church of Wheeling has received an invitation to accept a call as rector of All Souls' church, Biltmore, N. C., on the Vanderbilt estate. Dr. Swope has not decided to accept. With Mrs. Swope he is preparing to visit Biltmore and look over the field. There are hundreds of employees on the estate.

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Took Her Advice.

A clergyman in a southern state was called to perform a marriage ceremony in a poor white settlement. After the knot was tied the mother of the bride placed before the guests refreshments in the form of rye whisky. The pastor, by virtue of his office as a Christian minister, remonstrated with her for thus starting in life the new couple. The mother, a large woman, about a foot taller than the minister, placing her arms akimbo and looking him straight in the eye, said, "Look a yere, mister preacher, yer kim yere to marry this yere couple. You've married this yere couple. Now git."—New York Tribune.

March, April, May

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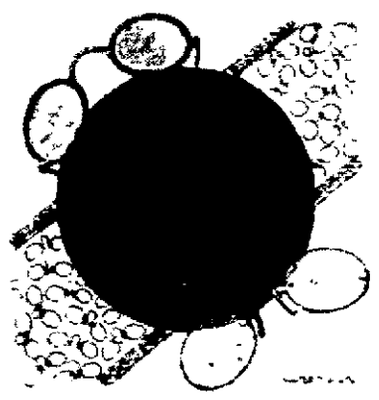


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ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going.

Harry Harper, of Ottawa, is in the city.

Mrs. J. F. Horner, of Ada, is in the city to-day.

G. H. Lewis, of Bluffton, was in the city to-day.

John Flynn, of Second street, is visiting in Spencerville.

Mrs. Eliza Kennedy and son, of Second street, are the guests of friends in Spencerville.

Mrs. R. W. Wallace, of Columbus Grove, is visiting her son on west Wayne street.

George Spencer has returned after a visit with his brother Ezra Spencer, at Pemberton, Ohio.

Mrs. Henry Gast returned yesterday from a visit with her mother in St. Johns, Mercer county.

H. A. Wilbur, of Cleveland, state college secretary of the Y. M. C. A., is in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. C. C. Miller.

Supt. C. C. Miller left this afternoon for New Madison, where he lectures this evening on "The Education of Boys and Girls."

Simon Maguire, of this city, has been summoned to Sidney by the death of his sister, Miss Bridget Maguire, who died yesterday morning

Mr. Amos Mechling returned home Thursday from Huntsville, Ohio, where he was called by the illness of his daughter Anna. She was dangerously sick, but is now a little better.

Bring your number on the Rug and be at Newson, Deakin & Co.'s at 4:30, Monday. See notice in to-day's paper.

TALKS OF THE TOWN.

Mrs. E E Langley is sick at her home on east Eureka street.

The Sorosis Club will meet Monday evening with Mrs. H. Harrod.

Geo Keil, who went to Mississippi for his health, is improving very rapidly

Aaron White and Lotie Nichols were granted a marriage license this morning

Mrs Chas. Benke, of Second street, who underwent a delicate operation a few weeks ago, is slowly recovering

On account of the debate Monday evening the Lima Art League will be postponed until the next regular meeting

Mr. Jesse Mack, a student in the normal department of Lima College, was one of twelve successful applicants, out of about seventy five, who attended the Allen county examination Feb. 27th

The hour of evening services at Market Street Presbyterian Church is changed from 7 o'clock to 7.30. The change takes effect March 14th and continues throughout the summer and autumn

Mrs. Joseph A. Gutman, mother of Mrs Frank Makley, of this city, died at her home in Botkins last Tuesday, from the effect of inflammatory rheumatism, from which she had been a sufferer for some time Burial took place at Freyburg yesterday.

Bring your number on the Rug and be at Newson, Deakin & Co.'s at 4:30, Monday. See notice in to-day's paper.

STRANGE, ISN'T IT,

That the Hanna Predictions Fail to be Realized.

TWO RECEIVERS APPOINTED

In One Day by the Common Pleas Court—Tailoring Establishment and an Oil Company Unable to Meet Their Obligations.

C. H. Keifer has entered suit against J. A. Young, asking for the appointment of a receiver for the Young-Keifer Tailoring Company The petition recites that they entered into a contract of partnership for the purpose of doing a tailoring business in the city of Lima and that they purchased a stock of goods to the value of $700, and that the defendant purchased his interest of one S. L. Woods and executed a mortgage in payment, and to secure the balance due he also executed a chattel mortgage to Woods to secure the balance which was unpaid at the time of taking possession of stock. Plaintiff further says that he owned one-half interest in the business when he executed a chattel mortgage to Woods which purported to be upon the whole stock, when in fact he did not own the other half, but at the time of the execution of the mortgage the said Woods was the owner of the other undivided half interest. About the 23d day of Nov. 1896, he sold his half interest to C. H Keifer, and since then the plaintiff and defendant have continued business as partners. Woods now asks for possession of the goods and business, as a whole under said mortgage or of the undivided half interest of C A. Young, without obtaining the consent of the plaintiff to such dissolution of partnership and the formation of new partnership relations with Woods.

Plaintiff claims he is unable to meet the obligation but that the firm have outstanding accounts which can be collected by which Woods may be paid in full. The plaintiff claims he is in danger of having his business injured and asks that upon the hearing of the application a receiver may be appointed to take charge of the business and that he may sell the stock of goods to pay the lien of Woods and all other indebtedness.

S. A Sellers was appointed receiver and gave bond in the sum of $1,500.

H S. SMITH RECEIVED.

H. S Smith has been appointed receiver for an oil company composed of Henry Koester, Eugene Dunlap and George R. Herman. The appointment was made on the application of Henry Koester. The company own a lease of 120 acres in Spencer township and has one operating well. The company is indebted to the amount of $500. A receiver and the sale of the property was asked for in the petition.

GUNCHEON VS. GUNCHEON.

James A. Guncheon has filed a suit against William Guncheon and Alexandria Conrad, marshal of the village of Bluffton, asking for an injunction restraining Alexandria Conrad from offering for sale certain property belonging to the plaintiff, and that the marshal may be ordered to refrain from any longer holding the property under execution. A judgment was found against J. A. Guncheon last fall for $92 46 and costs. Notice of the same was issued to James A. Guncheon, who sets forth in his petition that he never knew of the judgment until after the marshal had taken possession of his place of business at Bluffton and held the same for the payment of the judgment. Guncheon, to regain possession, entered suit to compel the marshal to give up possession of the plaintiff's property.

RECORDER'S OFFICE.

Philip Keil and wife to Mary M. Townsend, part of inlots 40, 41 and 42, original plat; $1,500.

James Sawey and wife to H. C. Settlage, part of inlot 341 in Baxter & Scott's addition: $2,500.

Lee Seinsheimer to Nathaniel Buck, lots 158 and 159, Clifton; $165

Jacob E. Hull to Hettie W. Zimmerman, inlot 697 in Robert's addition, Lima; $1,100,

H C Settlage to James Sawey, lots 3669, 3657, 3691 and 3687 in Sellers & Settlage's addition: $1 500.

Lucinda Eastman and husband to Park Baker, quit claim to half of 40 acres in Auglaize township: $900.

NEW SUITS.

C. H. Keifer vs. C. A. Young. Receiver.

James A. Guncheon vs. William Guncheon et al. Injunction.

Henry E. Koester vs Eugene Dunlap et al. Equitable relief.

HOLY COMMUNION

Received by Fifteen Members of St. John Berchman's Society.

St. John Berchman's Society of St. Rose Church celebrated the feast day of their patron saint, this morning, by being present in the sanctuary during the celebration of mass. The society is composed of twenty-two altar boys, fifteen of whom received Holy Communion.

During the celebration of mass the society sang a beautiful hymn dedicated to St John Berchman. After mass the boys were entertained at breakfast by the pastor, Rev. A. E. Manning

OFFICERS

Elected for the Allen County Democratic Club.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

A Large Crowd of Voters Present, Who Favor Honest Money and Just Laws—Vote of Thanks Extended to the Retiring Officers

The Allen County Democratic Club met at the assembly room of the court house last evening, at half past seven o'clock, with a large number present. The work of the last year was reviewed and everything showed that the club was in an excellent condition, and that it had done effective work during the last campaign.

President D. H. Sullivan was in the chair and announced that officers for the coming year would be elected. The election resulted as follows:

H. S. Prophet, president; Thos. Daley, vice president; S. N. Young, sec'y; Jos. W. Gensel, francis sec'y; Geo. A. Heffner, treasurer; John Walsh, commander; J W. Laudick, Jerome Shine, seargants at-arms.

Board of Directors—First ward, Mike Sullivan; Second ward, George Lyons; Third ward, Daniel Daniels; Fourth ward, John McKerren; Fifth ward, J. C. Ridenour; Sixth ward, Nelson Nelson; Seventh ward, Timothy Rowlands.

The treasurer made his report for the year, there being a balance of $3 92 in favor of the club.

A committee of three, R. A. Hickey, Daniel Daniels and C. H Adkins, was appointed to audit the books of the treasurer and report at next meeting.

A motion was unanimously carried thanking the officers of the club for their earnest labors in the interest of the club during the past year and especially during the campaign last fall. This was ordered to be placed on the records and also to be printed in the Times-Democrat.

The meeting adjourned to meet next Friday evening, March 19, at half past seven o'clock.

WHO WERE THEY?

Three Dusky Maidens and a Colored Man, Claiming to be From Lima,

Create a Disturbance at Piqua and Are Ordered to Leave Town—Had a Cake Walk at Sidney.

This morning on an early train, says the Piqua *Dispatch*, there arrived in the city three colored women and one man who last night conducted a cake walk at Sidney. When they arrived here they were under the influence of liquor and continued their debauch until about 10 o'clock when officer Crampton accosted them and gave them a piece of police advice, "to immediately get off the streets or the prison would be their resting place."

The three women had been at Granger's Arlington earlier in the morning and raised considerable disturbance at the prices charged, the house endeavoring not to cater to colored trade, either in restaurant or bar, and when such an individual applies for such refreshments two or three prices are charged, which generally has the effect of their going elsewhere.

After officer Crampton had given them to understand that they must cease their boisterousness upon the streets, he escorted them to the Keystone saloon, on Water street and left instructions that the entire outfit must depart from the city on the north bound 11:08 train, the parties claiming they reside at Lima, at which point was their destination."

THE DRAWING OF THE RUG.

When and How it Will be Drawn—Other Presents Added.

Upon the solicitation of many of the holders of tickets, Newson, Deakin & Co. have postponed the drawing until 4:30 p m Monday. Saturday evening, as first contemplated, for many obvious reasons is the wrong time to have a drawing.

The manner of the drawing will be thus: All coupons will be placed in a box and thoroughly mixed; then a reputable citizen will be called upon to draw therefrom 25 numbers. The lady present holding the first number thus drawn will receive a genuine Wedgewood Tea Set in blue. The lady present holding the next number thus drawn will receive a fine Banquet Lamp. The third lady present holding a number thus drawn will receive a very pretty China Tea Set. Every other lady present holding any other of the 25 numbers thus drawn will receive a fine China Plate The box will then be closed and again shaken up, and the twenty-fifth number drawn will take the Rug, and if the holder of this number is not present, it will be published until the owner is found No numbers will be given out after Saturday.

Wanted,

A woman to take care of children. Good wages paid. Apply at 318 west Market street 8 3t

Public debate Monday night in opera house, on Cuban question.

MORE ROBBERIES.

Canned Fruit Stolen from a South Side Residence.

THIEVES PROBABLY TRAMPS

Who Are Camping Along the C. & E.—Meat Stolen from L. H. Linderman's Residence—Chicken Thieves Taken to Wapakoneta.

Although the Gallagher, Shanahan, Latham House, and Ada robberies, accounts of which appeared in the Times-Democrat last night, were certainly enough for the police and H. F. Reel's bloodhound to contend with at one time, still others have been reported and evidently another epidemic of robberies is at hand. Thieves entered the cellar at the residence of Fred A. Rowland, at 771 St. Johns avenue, night before last and carried away ten cans of choice peaches and four cans of quinces.

Mrs Fowland was of the opinion that the theft was committed by a gang of tramps who have been camping in an old shed along the C. & E. railroad, just east of St. Johns avenue. The police have been requested to break up this gang of loafers and drive them from the city or give them a sentence cracking stone, which would have a tendency toward persuading the hobos to give Lima a wide berth in the future.

Several hams and shoulders were also stolen from the residence of L. H. Linderman, on Second street, a few evenings ago.

THE CHICKEN THIEVES.

Lee Spurlock and Joseph Brown, the two alleged chicken thieves who were traced to this city from north east of Waynesfield, yesterday morning, and apprehended and captured by detective Roney and sergeant Watts, were taken to Wapakoneta this morning by marshal Mechling, of that place. The prisoners will be arraigned at Wapakoneta upon the charge of chicken stealing, the alleged offense having been committed in Auglaize county.

Bring your numbers on the Rug and be at Newson, Deakin & Co's at 4:30, Monday. See notice in to-day's paper.

Boys' Gymnasium Shirts, Twenty five cents. Miller & Jones' receivers' sale under City Bank. 7 2t

IN LIMA SOCIETY.

Affairs of the Week Enjoyed by Prominent People.

DINNERS AND RECEPTIONS.

Delightful Musicale at the Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Crockett—Numerous Clubs Entertain—Other Events of Note.

Last Monday evening about fifty guests enjoyed a delightful musicale at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crockett, of south Tanner street. The programme was mostly made up of selections from the Gramophone Mr. Walton E. Clark and Mr. Maxwell assisted Mr. Crockett in making the evening a success.

The Bay View Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Asa Catt, Tuesday evening next.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Truesdale entertained the Sappho Club in a charming manner. The guests of the club were Mesdames Bell, Sargent, Borges, Laney, James Woods, George McDowell, Thompson, and Misses Reynolds and Hollington, of Delaware.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stagman were at home to the members of the High Five Club on Tuesday evening. The fortunate contestants for prizes were Mrs M. L. Johnston, who won a golden rod spoon, and Mr. Henry McDonald, who won a fine pocket knife. The delicious and appetizing lunch consisted of

Fried Oysters,
Cabbage Salad, Radishes, Pickles,
Bread Squares, Sherbet,
Suet Pudding Fancy Sauce,
Coffee

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Hale entertained a few friends at a dainty dinner in honor of Miss Nettie Hollington, of Delaware, who is the guest of Mrs. John Roby.

Wednesday evening, at 6 o'clock, the Delmonico Cooking Club served and enjoyed a delicious dinner at the home of Mr. Asa Catt, of east High street.

"Now good digestion, wait on appetite and health on both"

MENU

Roast Duck, Bread Dressing,
Mashed Potatoes Pickles,
Brown Bread
Fruit Gelatine,
Egg Salad, Cheese Wafers
Charlotte Russe
Coffee.

Thursday afternoon the exhibition drill and game of basket ball by the young ladies' class at the Y. M C A. was well attended by their numerous lady friends The contestants were teams selected from the class- five teachers and five students. The teachers' captain was Miss Carrie Jones, who was ably assisted by Misses Louise Davis, Mary Stout Gladys Eppert and Emma Bechler The students' captain was Miss Lelia Waugh and her helpers were Misses Laura Borges, Bonnie Bourquin Essie McComb and Alice Day. These students showed training and were very much interested in the game, but each one had received instructions from their parents to be cautious in their movements, in order that they should injure no one. The teachers on the other hand, were there to win and proved it by their hard work, the score standing 17 to 4 in favor of the teachers. The referees were Miss Gail Bates and Miss Jessie Boone.

The game was very exciting and the onlookers very hearty in their approval. This was the first of a series of games to be played and those to come are looked forward to with great interest by their friends.

The T. and T. Club will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. E V. Wells of north Baxter street, next Saturday evening. Leading American historians will be the theme for the evening.

The Twentieth Century Whist Club met with Mr and Mrs. Frank Banta on Wednesday evening. A delicious supper was served at 6:30 o'clock after which the cards were in motion for several hours Mr and Mrs Griffin were the guests of the club

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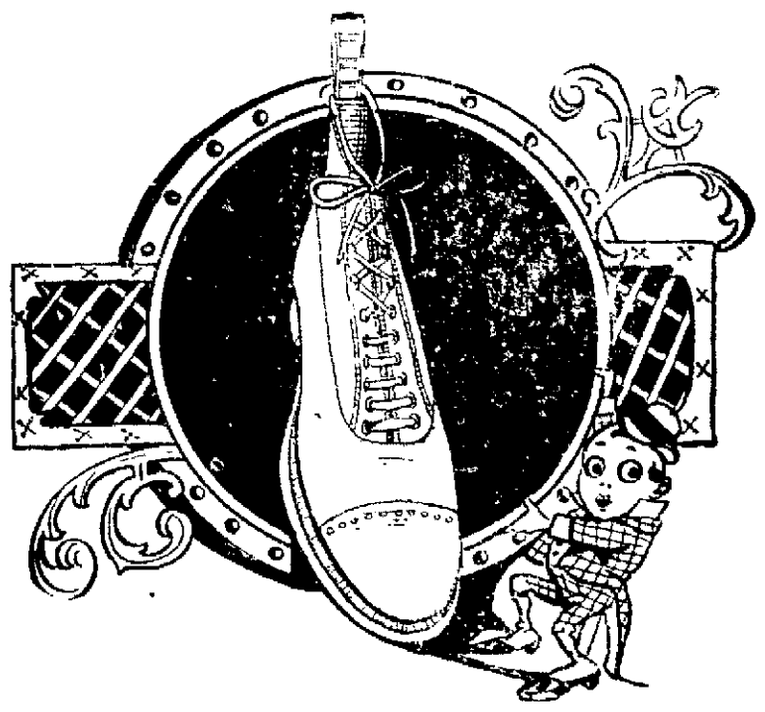
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